STRIKERS SPURN PEACE OFFER

MILITIA CHECKS RUSH OF STRIKERS AT LAWRENCE MILL GATES

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-night and Wednesday; continued cold; Wednesday brisk to high northwest to west winds.

Sun rises 7:11 a. m., sets 4:57 p. m.
Moon rises 3:24 a. m.
High tide 9:15 a. m., 10:00 p. m.
Temperatures: Boston 14, New York 2, Chicago 2, Denver 30, Washington 6, New Orleans 28.

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Militia Guarding the Streets During the Lawrence Mill Strike

Snapshot taken to-day by American staff photographer.

BOTH SIDES IN STRIKE REJECT ARBITRATION

LAWRENCE, Jan. 16.—Efforts made in various directions to settle the big woolen mill strike to-day failed. Neither the mill owners nor the operatives were in a mood to make any concessions.

Mayor Scanlon tried to induce William M. Wood, president of the American Woolen Company, to confer with committees of citizens and strikers, but Mr. Wood declined, saying that there was nothing to arbitrate. He said strikers might return to work if they wanted to do so.

ARBITRATION PROPOSED BY GOVERNOR.

Dudley M. Holman, secretary of Governor Foss and as a representative of the Governor, tried to get Joseph J. Ettor, the leader of the strike, to consent to arbitration, but he flatly refused. Ettor threatened to call out other operatives in the State in sympathy.

Two arrests were made to-day, a soldier fell on his bayonet and wounded himself severely, and several of those arrested yesterday and to-day received severe sentences in court.

President Wood defined his side of the controversy in this language to a reporter of the AMERICAN:

"We have nothing to arbitrate. Our mills are open and are running as usual. If the strikers want to return to their work they may do so. They brought about the strike, not us."

The committee of citizens, one of the three committees that Mayor Scanlon delayed Mr. Wood to confer with, is composed as follows: Attorney Walter Coggan, Justin E. Varney, cashier of the Bay State Bank; A. B. Sutherland of the firm of Robertson & Sutherland, dry goods dealers; Charles E. Bradley, real estate dealer, and Leonard E. Beulik.

Strikers Driven Back.

Fifteen hundred strikers were driven back by a bayonet charge by men of Company L, Eighth Regiment, this noon, at the corner of Mill and Essex streets, near the bridge leading to the main gates of the Washington mills.

The strikers, coming out from a City Hall mass meeting, rushed down Essex street to add their pickets, to keep workers from returning to the mill for the afternoon.

Company L, which was stretched across Mill street and also spread along either side of Essex street as far as Newbury and Jackson streets, charged with fixed bayonets. The strikers scattered along Essex street. None was hurt.

Severe Sentences Imposed.

Severe sentences were handed out to strike prisoners to-day by Judge Mahoney in the Lawrence Police Court. John Felico, charged with carrying a dangerous weapon, was given six months in jail. He appealed and was held in $800. Salvatore Popadacke, charged with carrying a revolver, was discharged by Judge Mahoney, who said that a razor was not a dangerous weapon.

Nicholas Nebaso, charged with carrying a revolver, was given one year in jail. He appealed and was held in $1,200. Angelo Russo and Louis Picavet, each of whom was charged with carrying a blackjack were fined $100 each.

Orlando Antonio, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon was given two years. He appealed and was held in $800. Joseph Leoni and Vincenzo Genalo, two boys, charged with stoning hot dog cars were continued until Tuesday.

Joseph J. Ettor of New York, national president of the Industrial Workers of the World, made this statement to-day:

25,000 Are Now Out.

"There are now 25,000 men and women on strike. Within a few days all the men and women employed in the mills now running will go out on strike. I likely that if there is no early settlement that the Industrial Workers of the World in other parts of Massachusetts will be called out on a sympathetic strike.

"This organization of ours does not lack finances. I am not afraid of the police or the militia. If they fill me, as some one may ought to do, then there will come other leaders to take my place.

"They threaten to drive me out of town. They can't do it. The strikers can't be quelled by the bayonets of the soldiers or the clubs of the police. The Mayor has said that if the mills closed down for three days, the strike would be over, as the strikers would not be able to live. That's a pretty harsh admission for him to make, that conditions are such in the

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STRIKERS SAY LAW IS VIOLATED

Representatives of the striking longshoremen this afternoon protested to the federal authorities against the employment of the sailors and firemen of foreign ships to load and unload cargoes, and charged that certain members of foreign steamships were guilty of violations of the contract labor law.

The protest was made following a meeting at noon to-day of the Longshoremen's Trade Council.

The point raised by the Council was a novel one, and it may be it will have to be referred to Washington for final decision. The striking longshoremen declared sailors and firemen on foreign craft under contract and that the minute they were put to work on the Boston docks their captains were amenable to American laws.

Say Captains Are Liable.

The charge was made that certain captains of foreign vessels have forced their crews to work on th pirs, and that this rendered them liable to heavy fines under the Federal statutes.

The Trade Council voted to hire two large halls, one in Charlestown and one in East Boston, where the strikers may listen to vocal and instrumental musical entertainments.

The Council denounced what it called the parading of strike breakers past the headquarters of the unions.

A statement given out by the council says: "There is no need to call out the militia for the longshoremen. We are making men and blacksmiths of strikers.

"We are prepared to keep the strike fight if it takes all next summer as well as all this winter."

Ships Late in Sailing.

Boston faced its greatest tieup of shipping in years, to-day, the twelfth of the strike of the longshoremen. There are nine big liners in port, from three to ten days late in their sailing, and eight large ships are expected to arrive within the next few days. Since the strike started, but one liner—the Ionian of the Allan line—has left Boston with a cargo all of which was loaded by the strike-breakers. Steamship agents, however, declared that the prospects were encouraging to them.

Three trans-Atlantic lines, the Cunard, White Star and Allan, have either cancelled or diverted several of their steamers because of the strike.

The strikers said to-day that the cancellation of the proposed sympathetic strike of the freight handlers had not crippled the movement in the least. They said there has not been one desertion since the strike started.

FAMOUS REVERE HOUSE BURNED

DYING.

Hoseman J. F. Kippenberger, Engine 22, impaled on picket fence in four-story fall, dying at Relief Station.

INJURED.

Joseph Gilman, onlooker, artery cut in right arm, in breaking glass door to rescue guests.

J. J. Lordan, fell down flight of stairs, cut and bruised about face and shoulders.

Michael Gorman, porter, twenty-three, burned about right arm, back scalded, left side of face, head scorched, rescued unconscious on top floor.

Captain Cornelius O'Brien of Engine No. 10, buried in collapse of roof. Injuries to head.

The historic Revere House in Bowdoin Square, one of the oldest and most famous hostelries in the country, was practically destroyed by fire early to-day, with possible loss of life.

J. F. Kippenberger, hoseman of engine 22, was seriously and may be fatally hurt by falling thirty feet from a ladder to an iron grating on which he became impaled.

LARING RESCUES BY FIREMEN.

Two hundred guests and employes of the hotel were driven scantily clothed—some only in night attire—into the freezing air. Many of these suffered from exposure and shock.

Firemen and others made brave rescues. George White and Thomas Cronan, sleeping on the top floor, had to beat maddened women back with main strength to keep the women from hurling themselves out of the windows.

The damage was estimated at $200,000. The hotel was a large, old-fashioned structure, with many valuable paintings and objects of historical value.

Loss $150,000, Says Harrison.

Captain R. S. Harrison, proprietor of the hotel, estimates his loss at $150,000. He said:

"My loss will probably be in the neighborhood of $150,000. It is too early yet to give an accurate estimate. The hotel and land are assessed for $465,000. The damage to the building will easily amount to $100,000 and the loss to the furnishings will make up from $35,000 to $50,000 additional.

"There were 100 employes of whom not more than eighty, I think, slept in the building. There were from 150 to 200 guests last night.

"I understand that all employes and all

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RECORD PRICE FOR BUTTER.

ELGIN, Ill., Jan. 16.—High price records of twenty-four years were smashed on the Elgin butter Board when the quotation committee raised butter firm at forty cents a pound.

REPORT GRAND TRUNK PETITION

A poll by the Boston AMERICAN of the leaders in both branches of the Legislature indicated to-day that the petition of the Grand Trunk Railway system for permission to enter Boston will be granted by both House and Senate on Beacon Hill with practically no opposition.

To-day the Legislature takes the first important step in the work of granting the Grand Trunk's request to come into Boston. The House this afternoon hears the report of the Committee on Rules, which has unanimously voted to recommend the suspension of rules in order to admit the petition of the Grand Trunk for consideration.

This action was a great step forward in the movement to have the action on the petition by the Legislature expedited so there will be no delay in permitting the Grand Trunk to begin building its proposed lines into Boston.

Heartiness and speedy consideration of the Grand Trunk's request were passed by the Legislative Committee of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange.

To-morrow the Boston City Council will consider resolutions asking the Legislature to make possible the entrance of the great railroad system into Boston.

In statements to the American to-day, leading members of the various improvement associations and other organizations urged the Legislature to get to work at once on the Grand Trunk's petition.

Here is what the Grand Trunk wants the Legislature to do, in a nutshell:

FIRST—A route from the New Hampshire State line to Boston through Middlesex County towns.

SECOND—A line from Hopkinston to Boston through Norfolk County towns, connecting with the Grand Trunk's line to Providence.

THIRD—An extension of the Grand Trunk's Palmer-Providence line from Douglas to Worcester. This will put Worcester on a through connection with Providence or Canada by way of the Grand Trunk lines.

The presiding officers of the Senate and House of Representatives, the members of the Rules Committees of both branches, who are among the most influential members of the Legislature, and the floor leaders of both big political parties, are numbered among those who have promised their support to the Grand Trunk petition.

Every one of the legislators polled by the AMERICAN came out flatly and emphatically in favor of allowing the Grand Trunk admission. Not one declared himself in opposition or even in doubt.

The action of the House Committee on

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JESS TAYLOR ACCUSES TAFT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Before the Good Roads Convention to-day President Taft was accused of diverting a public appropriation into channels which would result in personal benefit by Jess Taylor, secretary of the Ohio Good Roads Federation. He referred to the matter of the highway leading from Washington to the President's golf club at Chevy Chase.

FAVOR CHANGE OF INAUGURATION DAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The House Judiciary Committee voted unanimously to-day to report favorably the Henry resolution changing the date of inauguration from March 4 to the last Tuesday in April. The resolution also provides that after the constitution has been so amended Congress shall meet annually in January instead of December, and that the terms of Senators and Representatives shall date from the convening of Congress in January.

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WRESTLER MAY DIE OF INJURY IN BOUT

FITCHBURG, Jan. 16.—Search is being made to-day for a man who, the police allege, threw Manuel Pournalla in a wrestling bout at the Finnish Club last night, with the result that Pournalla lies in a serious condition at the Burbank Hospital. It is believed that his neck is broken. The members of the club were questioned to-day by the police and said they did not know the name of the wrestler. The police believe that the man was a member of the club. The X-ray will be used to-day to determine the exact injury to Pournalla. He is a well-known middleweight wrestler of this section.

MILK CAN BLOWS UP; TWO BADLY SCALDED

Mrs. Annie Adams, wife of James Adams, a milk dealer of East Cambridge, and her two-year-old daughter, Dorothy, were badly scalded at their home, No. 15½ Third street, by the explosion of an eight-quart can of milk that had been placed upon the kitchen stove to thaw. The stopper had been left in the can, and as soon as the milk got hot the can exploded.

JURY IN CASTLE CASE DISAGREES

After being out seventeen and one-half hours, the jury reported a disagreement to Judge McLaughlin in the Middlesex Superior Court at East Cambridge to-day in the case of Dr. Catherine W. Castle of Malden, in connection with the death of Miss Edna Bancroft of Reading.

Miss Bancroft died October 17 in Dr. Castle's office in Malden. Dr. Castle and Samuel Morrison of Reading were indicted as co-defendants. The trial lasted three days. Morrison appeared as a government witness against the physician.

The case went to the jury at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Dr. Castle, who was on $2,000 bail, left the court, but returned to it this morning and heard the report of disagreement. Then she left the court, with her bail still standing. No disposition has been made yet of Morrison's case.

Dr. Castle was defended by Melvin M. Johnson and Paul M. Pose, with Assistant District Attorney Nelson P. Brown for the government.

WALKER TO THE PROGRESSIVES

The Progressive Republicans of Massachusetts, who are preparing to make a persistent campaign to make the Republican party in Massachusetts progressive, to-day made public a letter from Joseph Walker, former Speaker of the House and a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor on the Republican ticket last year, in which he outlines his views on certain public questions in which the organization is interested. Former Speaker Walker in his letter says that he stands for the simplest and most direct political machinery, for a short ballot, direct nominations and for direct election of United States Senators. He says:

"I am unalterably opposed to the recall of judges. The absolute independence of the judiciary is essential to the impartial administration of justice.

"The initiative and referendum provides a method by which the people make laws or amend or veto laws already made by the Legislature. I recognize the evils against which the movement for direct legislation is aimed. I appreciate the force of the argument. I understand the reasons for its popularity. But as a responsible legislator I have been unable to give my assent to its adoption in Massachusetts.

"I believe that Massachusetts can afford to go under the experiment of not being initiation and watch the experiment being tried in our sister States. In the meantime, let us hold fast to representative government under constitutional restraint. Under this system the deliberate, settled will of the majority is bound to find expression in law.

"I dissent from the proposition that a representative is merely an agent to express the popular will. The function of a representative is not to keep his ear to the ground to catch every vibration of popular sentiment, but rather to study public questions, to discuss, to deliberate and then to act without fear or favor in the public interest."

Mr. Walker says he stands for a stringent corrupt practice act, believes in limiting the hours of labor for women and children, for pure food laws, the conservation of our natural resources, for adequate protection to American industries, a permanent tariff commission, and believes that the solution of the trust problem is to be found in eliminating special privileges, unfair practices and coercive methods.

THREE MILLIONS ASKED FOR DOCK

An appropriation of three million dollars for the construction of a drydock equipped with modern facilities and appliances and sufficient in size to accommodate any modern ocean-going steamship, is recommended by the board of directors of the port of Boston in a report submitted to the Legislature to-day.

The requested appropriation is entirely outside of the $50,000,000 asked in the report submitted to Governor Foss yesterday.

To-day's report is in compliance with the following provision of the act creating the directors of the port of Boston.

The directors shall report to the next General Court, on or before the fifteenth day of January, all necessary plans and estimates of cost for the construction of a drydock equipped with modern facilities and appliances, sufficient in size for the accommodation of any modern ocean steamship.

The directors state that the approximate cost of building such a drydock would be $3,000,000, exclusive of site and mooring. Because of the short time the commission has been in existence, the directors say that they are unable as yet to recommend any particular location for the dock.

"It has not been possible to even investigate the question of the location of a drydock," says the board.

The report in part follows:

The Board's Report.

The short time which has elapsed since the first meeting of the directors on December 8, 1911, has been insufficient to enable them to organize a technical staff for the preparation of plans and estimates, nor has it been sufficient to enable the directors to undertake the greater duty involved upon them by the act of preparing comprehensive plans for the development of the port in which the location and the construction of a drydock would form a part as an essential element of a first-class seaport.

Under the circumstances, the directors propose herewith certain data in regard to the present dry dock facilities at Boston harbor and other ports on the Atlantic coast, and also the several foreign ports; considerations as to the advantages of the different types of dry docks, and their conclusions as to the desirability of an adequate dry dock for Boston harbor.

Advantages to Boston.

If the State should construct such a dry dock, it should maintain and operate it under conditions similar to foreign ports where the owners and operators permit ships owners to use the dock for a fixed charge per day, and the owner and furnish services only for the admission of a vessel and the pumping of the dock, permitting the owners to contract with ship and engine builders and repairers for the service or repairs on the vessel.

Under these circumstances the prospects are that it will be income from operation would not be sufficient to pay the fixed charges. There would be, however important collateral advantages to the port and there would be done in Boston very much more dry docking than would appear from Boston's own steamship traffic at the present time. There is general complaint among foreign, as well as American steamship owners, that the dry dock facilities in the United States are inadequate and the cost of repairs to vessels excessive. The construction of an adequate dry dock in

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OLDEST RESIDENT OF QUINCY IS DEAD

Quincy's oldest citizen, William Garrity, is dead at his home, No. 13 Cottage street, Quincy, in his ninety-eighth year. He was born in Roscommon, Ireland, and came to America in 1847, settling in Quincy. He was one of the first persons to sign the roll for the establishment of a Catholic church in the Granite City. Up to that time he walked a distance of eight miles to the Catholic chapel in Randolph to attend mass. He was one of the first members of the Quincy fire department.

PUGILIST EDELS IS HELD FOR ASSAULT

Harry Edels, a Boston pugilist, was arraigned in the Cambridge District Court today on a charge of assault and battery on Joseph Cohen, a cigar dealer, of No. 1 Prospect street, Cambridge. Coughlin, the police said, is in the Cambridge Relief Hospital suffering from a fractured skull. Edels gave almost up to the police last night. He was held in $1,000 for a hearing January 20.

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A GREAT MYSTERY STORY BY ARNOLD BENNETT, MOST FAMOUS LIVING WRITER OF ENGLISH FICTION, WILL BEGIN SERIALLY IN NEXT SUNDAY'S AMERICAN

FOSS URGES ARBITRATION IN LAWRENCE STRIKE

LEADER ETTOR NAMES TERMS ON WHICH PEACE MAY BE RESTORED.

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mills and the workers so poorly paid that they can't exist three days without work to keep them going."

Posters Are Distributed.

Thirty thousand posters were scattered among the striking mill workers to-day. None touched on the strike. The following statement from one of them was typical:

"The working class and the employing class have nothing in common. There can be no peace so long as hunger and want are found among millions of working people and the few, who make up the employing class, have all the good things of life. Between these two classes a struggle must go on until the workers of the world organize as a class, take possession of the earth and the machinery of production and abolish the wage system."

A member of the State Board of Arbitration came to Lawrence to-day to see if the board could do anything in the way of bringing about a settlement of the strike. The situation at this time, he found, was in such a condition that the State Board of Arbitration, with its limited power, could not do much, if anything.

Ettor said that the only way in which the strike could be ended was for the millmen to grant these concessions:

First—An increase of 15 per cent. in pay.

Second—The abolition of premiums. (They amount to from $5 to $20 a week).

Third—Double pay for overtime.

Fourth—Everybody on strike taken back.

State Board to Visit City.

Belgian weavers to the number of about 100 struck to-day in the Brightwood and Stevens mills just across the Shawsheen River from Lawrence in North Andover. The strikers attempted to cross the bridge to this city to join the striking forces here but the soldiers drove them back.

Two arrests were made to-day. The prisoner is Louis Picoli, who was arrested while addressing a crowd in front of the Tremont Mill. Captain Pierson of a Lowell militia company arrested the man. The soldiers butted him with their guns and Picoli made a move, they said, toward his pocket. He was grabbed and put under arrest. A blackjack was found in his pocket.

It became known to-day that the young Italian who was bayonetted and who may die as a result, did not obey an order of the soldiers because he did not understand English. He had been in the country only three months and was doing what he had been instructed to do.

Left to right—Joseph Ettor of New York, who is directing the Lawrence mill strike; Dudley M. Holman, through whom Governor Foss proposed arbitration, and Captain Proctor of the State Police, who to-day had a conference at Lawrence in an effort to end the strike. Snapshot by American photographer.

MILL WORKERS' SIDE IN THE STRIKE AT LAWRENCE

By REV. ALBERT E. GEORGE.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 16.—Much indignation is expressed here because of the bayonetting of Domenico Roppordi, the young Italian, stabbed, probably mortally, by a member of the local militia, simply because he did not understand an order given to him in English.

The men who really are responsible for the trouble here are not the ones that have been arrested, but a few incendiary leaders who have misled the strikers as to the real situation. For instance, the men and women were not paid last week on pay day—Friday. Then when they got their pay, Saturday, there was a cut.

Many of the Italians and other foreigners did not understand it and do not yet. One of the most intelligent of the Italian workmen said to me to-day what the Italians wanted was arbitration, so that many points on which there is a difference of opinion may be considered.

Didn't Know English.

Down on Common street near the corner of Newbury street, in much frequented stores crowds to-day talked and discussed the stabbing of Roppordi of No. 51 Essex street by the militia. No one that I consulted could give a clear idea of how the affair took place. There was considerable indignation expressed against the militia, but speeches followed. One version that I obtained from F. De Cesare of No. 116 Common street, who took the young man to the hospital, represents the impression that prevailed in the Italian quarter today.

The young man was bayonetted because he failed to respond to the request of the militiaman, and he failed to do so because he did not understand English—anyway, stabbed because he did not speak or understand English was the explanation among the Italians. The young fellow is twenty-three years of age and has only been in this country three months. He was lured to Lawrence from his home in Italy by a very attractive poster in his native town, which described Lawrence as a place where money flowed and where Italians received all the higher wages in the earth. He left his country under the guidance of the Wood mill poster spread in a conspicuous place in his native town, and now his life is hanging by a thread for his misguidance.

There is no Italian better able to speak for his race than Domenico Cambiagno of Common street. He not only speaks good English, but he is an intelligent, well-versed individual.

When I met him he had just returned from the court room, where he had been as an interpreter and defender of his nation. Those who did not use weapons, but disturbed the peace, were sentenced to one year, and those who were armed paid the penalty of two years. In all, twenty-seven were convicted.

Strikers Are Misled.

"Many of these convicted were misdirected," said Tom, as he is generally known by that name in that locality. Some of them were advised to carry arms. Last night, when they went to get their weekly pay it was refused them for some reason or other and this stirred up bad blood all around.

"Even in the face of this I went around last Sunday and cautioned all my people to be quiet. I told them that it was not right to destroy property. They would not gain anything by that, and they must not do it. But you see it is this way, a few leaders are responsible for any destruction made against the mills. They misled many of them.

"The Italians were brought out to this country by the Wood Mill that has never worked upon full time and so people have been given the hardest kind of work to do. Those who work in the wet conditions of the dye-house used to get $7.70 a week; now they will get under the new regulations twenty-nine cents a week less.

"Now I want to say that $7.70 a week is poor pay for a family man. Everything is so high, rent and everything else. You find fault with the Italian because he lives in a tenement with other families. Sometimes three families will occupy a tenement of five rooms.

"Why do they do this? You force them to live this way by small wages.

"You bring the Italian over to this country with the glare of many flattering promises, and you make him a slave to a corporation. To be a true American, as he wants to be, you keep him down and deprive him of the opportunities and advantages of American life.

"We must not treat the Italian as a foreigner. Give him the hardest work to do in the mill and keep him down, and when he sees his wages going down under the new regulation he does not comprehend and resists. Women work at wool sorting, for instance, and get from $5 to $6 a week, and men did this work formerly and received $2.50 a day. Why not encourage the Italian to live better by giving him an American wage instead of keeping him down by such wages that mean starvation.

"You see then, when he gets less than formerly, that even when he first landed in this country he does not like it and rebels. Then to the Wood Mill we have this situation, four frames are run in the spinning room at a wage of $8.50 a week, whereas in other mills in other cities only two frames are run at the same wage. Why this difference? says the Italian. Then when a reduction of wages comes with the reduction of the weekly pay from fifty-six to fifty-four it makes him mad and no one explains the situation to him.

"Nothing is posted in the mills to explain it, and many things have led up to this present strike.

Facts on Both Sides.

"The Italians work hard. Everyone says they get small wages. To keep a family of three young children on $6.20 a week, and many of them are trying to do, makes it a hardship.

"It is the young Italians that are being Americanized that feel this and talked it over with father and mother.

"When the young mother is obliged to go to work she boards out her infant at $1 a week, and then gets herself for her work about $5.10 a week.

"I believe this whole strike can be adjusted, and I would be glad to have a board of arbitration appointed and many of these points gone over and a better understanding arrived at.

"Now it is all confusion and while there are faults on both sides, and I make no apologies for some things done because I admit it is a mistake to destroy property and wrong. All I ask is that my people be treated fairly. They are not afraid to work, but they want enough to live on, and poor wages is degrading them.

"In many quarters among the Latins, Germans and Irish there is some sympathy with the mill owners. It is a fact that what these three nationalities get as pay in the mills is much larger than the Italians. In the six in May, the Italians drive out the other nationalities from the mills, and hold the situation to-day.

"It is not a labor question as some think; it has the evidence of misapplied force. There is something back of this whole situation. Whatever this may be will appear in the developments of the next few days."

Things look dark to-day for any sort of settlement, but it is always dark before the dawn.

Militia and police have poured into the city and saved the local police force from the necessity of shooting down strikers. The local companies, F of the Ninth and I of the Sixth regiments and Battery C, light artillery, equipped with complete rifles, pistols and ball cartridges are on riot duty and to answer to urgent calls by Mayor Scanlon and Alderman Lynch, director of public safety, sister cities have sent their quota of police and militia.

Not Much Bloodshed.

Mayor Scanlon wants outside cities to know that the city streets do not run with blood. In the hospitals are six people with minor injuries. Every store and business and manufacturing establishment other than the mills is open. People go about unmolested, and a competent city government stamped out inspired anarchy the moment it actually threatened the community.

Mayor Scanlon said:

"This trouble comes from about 500 Socialists and Anarchists, who are stirring up the mill hands and intimidating them and preventing them from going back to work. We have been free from strikes in this city, which has been a peaceful industrial centre.

"These men picked out this place to try out the strike and believe they can intimidate the workers for remaining in the mills. The majority in the mills do not want to strike."

Ettor, leader of the strikers, continues to guide their policy. The question of his responsibility in precipitating a riot is considered a debatable one. Prominent lawyers point to the law relative to "inciting to riot," and say there should be a single arrest in front of a mass meeting spoke of this sentiment, and warned that if any such acts occurred his place would be immediately taken by another organizer of capable as himself.

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Every effort is there to be of assistance, the mill men alone remaining silent except for one blanket appendix rule for police and militia. One of the biggest mill men talked with an Alderman by telephone from Boston.

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After three days the strikers have at last made some pretence of organizing and decide that one of a time meeting because they are not paid for fifty-six hours' time on a fifty-four-hour working week, but they want a net increase of 10 per cent. in wages.

Rigorous sentences were imposed by Judge A. J. Mahoney in the police court on all prisoners concerned in the attack upon the Lower Pacific mills. Twenty-six of the majority of them Italians, were given one year each in the House of Correction for breaking and entering. Upon the more serious charge of carrying dangerous weapons Special Justice Fred N. Chandler imposed a further term of one year each upon Salvatore Filadelfa, Angelo Voruso and Horace Schudi.

Sentence Rioters.

The case of Giovanni Feliee, who is alleged by both police and civil witnesses to have been the ringleader in the attack, was continued until to-day, as were the cases against two minors, Vincenzi Consoli and Vincenzi Leoni. Matteo Cervella was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction for having a razor in his possession. Two others, besides Cervella, were sent for intimidation, received six months in the House of Correction for disturbing the peace.

The prisoners pleaded not guilty, and all appealed when the sentences were imposed. Each was held in $5000 bail.

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THREE MILLIONS ASKED FOR DOCK

Continued from First Page.

Boston would be the best possible notice to the steamship world that first-class facilities for steamship traffic were to be provided in all respects in Boston harbor. Agents of commercial docks on the Atlantic coast are now maintained in Boston to secure for their docks work which originates here or in the vicinity, and the construction of an adequate dry dock in Boston would lead to the location of agents from Boston in other commercial ports to bring work. Repair work on vessels to a very considerable amount annually is now performed elsewhere owing to inadequate dry docks in Boston.

The Type of Dock.

Various advantages are claimed for the floating dock over the masonry or graving docks in the respect that the work is at present under repair is more convenient and better lighted, that it can be more quickly built and somewhat more cheaply; that it can be moved from one location to another; that the pumping is proportional to the load, therefore, the cost of operation that it can be more easily enlarged. The serious disadvantage is the great depth of water required over the whole area of the dock for its operation and the maintenance of this depth, as well as the cost of maintenance of the dock itself. On the other hand, experience has shown that where a suitable location and foundation is available, a masonry graving dock is usually preferred on the ground that its risk of deterioration is less and its durability is greater.

Cost of Dock.

The approximate cost of a floating dock capable of docking vessels up to a length of 900 feet and having a lifting capacity of 50,000 tons, exclusive of site and mooring, would be about three million dollars. The cost of a concrete and masonry graving dock adequate for any modern steamship, exclusive of land, would probably not exceed this sum.

The approximate dimensions of the largest commercial vessel now building are 900 feet in length and 100 feet in beam.

The directors are of the opinion that a dry dock equipped with modern facilities and appliances sufficient in size for the accommodation of any modern ocean going steamships is desirable and a necessary and essential element in the contemplated development of the port, and recommend that a special appropriation be made authorizing the directors to build such a dock.

MORSE EMPLOYES TO DANCE TO-NIGHT

The third annual ball of the Leopold Morse Company Mutual Benefit Association will be held in Horse Hall, Hanover street, to-night. The association officers are: President, M. Marks; vice-president, L. G. Josti; treasurer, John Delea; secretary, J. Smith. J. Levy will serve as floor director, Edward Remington as assistant floor director and Miss Agnes King as chief usher. Joseph J. Greenberg is chairman of the reception committee.

YOU see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN IN BROOKLINE

Wills at work to-day under the bridge of the Boston & Albany railroad on Brookline avenue, Brookline, Patrick Casey, forty-five years old, married, No. 25 Fleet street, North End, was struck and instantly killed by a passenger train. His body was towed over the Charles river street morgue, West End, where it was viewed by Medical Examiner Magrath.

For Chilblains, Frost-Bites, and All Sore Feet

Many persons dread the approach of winter on account of chilblains and frost-bites which cause soreness and itching at times almost unbearable, frequently bringing on a nervous condition. To those thus afflicted the following treatment will be welcome information, as it gives immediate relief and soon cures. "Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of warm water (not hot). Soak the feet in this for fifteen minutes. Repeat this for several nights until the trouble disappears."

The action of Calocide compound for all foot ailments is really remarkable. By its use corns and callouses can be peeled right off. Sweaty, smelly feet and tender, aching feet need but a few applications. Bunions get relief instantly. Any druggist has it in stock or will get it from his wholesale house. A twenty-five cent package is usually sufficient to put the worst feet in fine condition.

IT RAINED!

Yesterday was the worst day of the season. In spite of the inclement weather we were crowded at both our men's store and our women's store. Values always attract.

The men's store "Flood Sale" can take care of itself—but we wish to emphasize upon the women of Boston the importance of the mark-down sale at our 11 Temple Place store.

All our very highest grade shoes—regular $5, $6, $7 and $8 styles—now being offered at

$3.45 and up

EVENING SLIPPERS—CARRIAGE BOOTS—RIDING BOOTS—WOMEN'S SPECIALTIES—all reduced in price

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BARGAIN BASEMENT
FOR WEDNESDAY
$15.00
SUITS
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Women's and Misses'
Cheviots, serges, fancy worsteds and mixtures, some lined with Skinner's satin lining; sizes from 16 to 44.
37.50

$1.25 Petticoats 89c
Women's Black Petticoats, with embroidered flounce, deep underruffle, cut extra full.

19c Hose 12½c
Women's Black Cotton Hose, with linen heel and toe, garter top.

25c Hose 15c
Women's Black or Tan Cotton Hose, double heel or toe, garter top, seconds.

39c Underwear 19c
Women's; fine ribbed vests and pants, ankle or ankle length; finished with lace; seconds.

50c Underwear 25c
Women's; long sleeve, high-neck shirts; pants to ankle length; ribbed, fleece lined; seconds.

75c Union Suits 43c
Women's ribbed heavy fleece-lined, high neck, ankle length, nearly finished, seconds.

$2 Shoes 98c
Misses' Patent Leather Shoes, in Blucher lace style; a good dressy shoe.

$3 Shoes $1.98
Women's lace gun metal leather or vici kid, button or lace style.

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Special inducements will be made for parties who wish to spend the season at this wonderful resort.
There is also in connection with the hotel one of the finest 18 hole golf courses in America.
The hotel will be conducted on the most exclusive lines on the American plan.
F. H. MUNNS, Mgr.

ST. ALPHONSUS SOCIETY DINNER

Five hundred men attended the annual banquet of the St. Alphonsus Association held last evening in the parish school hall. The occasion was marked by all the eloquence, enthusiasm and good will which have for years been the distinguishing features of this large and progressive society.

The after-dinner exercises were opened with addresses by Joseph C. Woods, President of the Association, and Toastmaster Hugh J. McElaney.

Rev. Father Hayes, rector of the Mission Church, congratulated the society on its continued career of usefulness and prosperity. He counselled the members to be ever true to the ideals inculcated by their membership in the prosperity and stability of this great country, said Father Hayes, first on a moral and God-fearing manhood, the goal toward which the St. Alphonsus Association is always striving.

Following Father Hayes' speech, eloquent and patriotic addresses were delivered by David J. Walsh of Fitchburg and Dudley Field Malone of New York.

A high-class vaudeville program and excellent orchestral music contributed to the enjoyment of the evening.

Those at the head table were: President Joseph C. Woods, David I. Walsh, Dudley Field Malone, Rev. James Hayes, C.S.S.R., rector of the Mission Church; Rev. Peter J. Carr, C.S.S.R., spiritual director of the Association; D. O'Connell Gavin; Rev. Peter Cusick, S.J., of Holy Cross College; Rev. Francis J. Kenzel, C.S.S.R., and Rev. Richard Donahue, C.S.S.R., past reverend presidents of the association; President George T. Daly of the Young Men's Catholic Association of Boston; James P. Maloney of the Charlestown Catholic Union; Patrick Dinneen, Peter Daly of the Canton Catholic Club.

'Why Kill Richeson?" Asks Jack London

"Poor Richeson," Says Author, "Is Club-Footed and Hump-backed in His Brain."

By GERTRUDE MARVIN.

Into gentle, cultured Boston comes Jack London, the most delightful pirate of modern days. Adventurer, tramp and soldier of fortune, he has won great fame for his stories, vivid to brutality of the primordial passions of men and women.

This recorder of primitive life, who writes with unflinching force of brute instincts and elemental passions, of mad men and stranglings and killings and all the crude, ugly under crust of life, has been living amid the gilded opulence of the Touraine since Friday night. He heard the echo on Sunday of Christian ministers all over the city, demanding from their pulpits the electrocution of a brother man later. He has sensed the implacable wrath of Boston's strongest men and women, stirred to a depth which in a less re-

Jack London who asks "Why kill Richeson? and says he should be treated like any other sick man."

served and controlled community would mean lynching.

And to-day, with the independence of a man who has learned to do his own thinking in the solitude of sea and wilderness he gave his opinion of the Richeson case. Curling one foot under him, and grasping the ankle, he leaned forward from the delicate gray damask chair and spoke with nervous intensity:

Club Footed in His Brain.

"Poor Richeson should not be punished. The man is club footed and humpbacked in his brain. He is a sick man and should be treated as such. He should be sent to a hospital and taken care of.

"Why kill him? He has broken the usual law because of his disease, and should be treated, just like any other sick man. He is very sick; he was evidently born sick, and he may never get well, but that does not give the State the right to take his life.

"All this talk about punishment befits savages. What is punishment? What is the ethical principle on which you base all this talk about punishment?

He laughed abruptly and straightened up, letting go of his ankle which he had been hugging close, and opening his other hand which he had held tightly clenched.

"You must pardon my earnestness," he apologized. "It's just the way I'm made, whether it's a horse race or a prize fight or a tea party, I get all nervously wound up."

It is a surprise to meet Jack London, he is so much subtler than his rugged personality warrants, than his books sound. Of medium height and stocky build, he dressed conventionally enough in a blue serge suit, conformably loose fitting, but well tailored for all that.

How Jack London Looks?

He did not wear a flowing tie, nor was it even red, but his Byron-collared negligee shirt was cravatted with a sober black windsor tie, knotted into a snug four-in-hand.

Jack London has an absurdly young face for a man born in 1876, according to the office clip. His very blue eyes are keen and are the most expressive of his features, which are surprising small. His nose is small, he holds his eyelids slightly closed, and his lips compress. But somewhere under the twinkling eyes and his laughing manner there is some impression of cruelty, perhaps in the powerful chin of the firm square-cut jaw.

But I was not interviewing Mr. London about his appearance, I had asked him about the Richeson case.

"The trouble with that man," he continued, "is that the money bug bit him. He undoubtedly loved the little girl from the Cape and would have been glad to marry her, but along came this chance to fill it soft and easy all at once. There was a girl with lots of money and all the rose it seems just standing waiting for him. So this fellow was compelled to exercise love and truth and honor and all the best because he was sick.

Money Bug Got Richeson.

"He was weak and susceptible to disease, and this germ of the money bug came along and completely got him. And then we have the spectacle of our modern civilization with all the advance it has made in the matter of morals, of mental clearer, more intelligent thinking, reverting right back to the days of the cave-dwelling cannibal savages and clamoring for their victim's life.

"The remedy for this man is not in punishment at all. The man is kept away from society for society's sake because he has broken its laws. But he should no more be put in the Skilled chair than a human. The club-footed man breaks society's laws because he can't walk straight and his place among men, but we do not kill him for that. The pellagrin suits are sick stupid things. They do not realize the needs at all. The underlying ethical factor is so much deeper than the surface cut, of all our crimes are against property, just as this summer's cold blooded murder was induced by his greed for money.

"If is the want of money that is responsible for most of our problems to-day. Take divorce. The marriage is completed by the inks and hurts of bread and butter and the world's side of life is constantly uppermost. A man loves a woman wildly, madly and they marry and are very happy.

Next Step Is Divorce.

"By the end of one year the grim struggle for the daily bread has so taken the beauty and romance out of their lives that their relations are entirely mental. It gets on their nerves and they quarrel and backbite, and the next step is divorce.

"Socialism is going to meet all this. Society will then live as the majority agrees. It won't be any crazy idealistic business. There will be no more of this but the leadership will be natural, not artificially constructed by the people who on dirty greedy struggles of unfairness and brutal cutting. Every fellow will help fellow who stands in the corner and dances for a tea party, I get all nervously wound up."

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MANY SEEKING CHAPIN'S PLACE

Several candidates are being urged for the position of State Bank Commissioner to succeed Arthur D. Chapin, whose resignation was to take effect yesterday, but Chapin is holding over at the request of Governor Foss till his successor is appointed and confirmed. He has just assumed his new duties as vice-president of the American Trust Company.

A Want Ad. often leads to fortune.

COUGHLIN SAYS FOSS COULD WIN

That Governor Foss has an excellent chance of securing the Democratic presidential nomination is the belief of Hon. John W. Coughlin of Fall River, Democratic National Committeeman, just back from Washington. Dr. Coughlin talked with representative Democrats from all sections of the country, and finds a general trend Foss-ward.

WEATHER FAIR AND WARMER

Fair and warmer. The Weather Man says so. The cold wave which started to nip Boston last night, slipped a cog and to-night and to-morrow promises to be fair and warmer.

The cold affected other cities in the country, however, the cold extending as far south as Northern Georgia, with zero weather as far west as the Mississippi Valley.

DAUGHTER OF KAISER TO WED

BERLIN, Jan. 16.—It was reported in court circles to-day that Princess Victoria Louise, daughter of Emperor William, has been betrothed to Archduke Adolf Frederich of Mecklenburg-Strelitz.

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Does not stifle it, but draws all inflammation to the surface. Your druggist.

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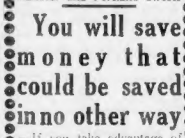
Boys' 45c Jersey Hockey Caps



21c Jersey weave hockey caps in plain colorings, or contrasting combinations.

Women's 15c Cotton Hose

This is certainly a great buy. Fast black cotton hose with elastic tops and double heels and toes—sizes 8½ to 10.

8c

Women's 98c Combinations

59c Muslin combinations with skirts or drawers; some trimmed with hamburg and lace, some with lace and all-over embroidery—ribbon through with ribbon.

Regular $2.50 Skirts

New flare side effects in gray mixtures, trimmed with three pearl buttons. No mail orders filled, none sent C. O. D.

1.59

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I can restore your youthful vitality, MY HEALTH BELT with electric attachment, worn all night while you sleep, sends a great stream of VITALITY into your blood and weakened organs; it gives you new strength and courage. No drugs, no dieting, no hardships of any sort; just nature and nature alone. My Belt overcomes all pains and aches. You will feel young, strong and organic vitality. Write for my 96-page illustrated book sent free, sealed, by mail, or drop in at my office for free test of Belt. Hours, 9 to 6.

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98c Hot Water Bottles

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A limited quantity of our 4-quart Water Bottles, that have always sold for 75c.

100 on Sale from 9 to 10

100 on Sale from 2 to 3

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The Ideal Application for hard, rough, dry skin, irritated and inflamed skin, chaps and chafes is Hood's Lotion. Get it today. 50c.

A man had dyspepsia so bad
He looked very solemn and sad;
His friend said: "I'm sure
Dyspeplets will cure—"
He took them, and said he was glad.

Dys-pep-lets

Dys-pep-lets are unlike soda mints, are not a strong alkali—no bad effect attends their continued use. They quickly sweeten sour stomach, stop belching, relieve heartburn, nausea, sourishness. Get a 10 or 50c box today. Sold by all druggists.

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BEAUTIFUL, LUSTROUS, HEAVY HAIR AND NO DANDRUFF OR ITCHY SCALP

Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine and just try this—stops falling hair at once

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverish, itching scalp, falling hair, then comes baldness.

A little Danderine to-night—now—anytime—will surely save your hair. Ten minutes after applying all the dandruff will disappear, all itching of scalp will cease and there will be no more falling hair. Millions of men and women use Knowlton's Danderine and they never have dandruff, itchy scalp or falling hair—they know that it keeps the scalp clean and healthy and makes the hair grow heavy, long and beautiful.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application you will say it was the best investment you ever made. Your hair will immediately take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Houghton & Dutton Co.

It pays to pay Cash

NEW ENGLAND'S GREAT CASH HOUSE.

On Wednesday People look for bargains here and they find them. Wednesday we give our profits on the advertised goods to our customers.

This may not suit our competitors, but it pleases our customers and ourselves—the two most interested parties, surely. Here are our items for tomorrow; size them up.

Dry Goods Specials

25c FINE HINDE SILK—A silk and cotton fabric which has a rough ponge weave and will wash. In changeable and many pretty combinations. Wednesday special, per yard..... **15c**

35c MERCERIZED ROUGH PONGEE—In all the splendid shades. This is the season to silk vests of anything that is made. Wednesday special, per yard..... **15c**

15c VERY FINE LONG CLOTH—In lengths of 10 to 12 yards, all perfect and in good snow white bleach. Wednesday special, per yard..... **10c**

10c QUALITY OF OUTING FLANNEL sold anywhere, all perfect, white grey and colored patterns. Wednesday special, per yard..... **7½c**

50c FINE BLEACHED COTTON DAMASK—Highly mercerized, all perfect, full pieces and brand new patterns. Wednesday special, per yard..... **35c**

$1.25 CROCHET BED SPREADS—Good size, full bleached, extra heavy and finished ready for use. Wednesday special, 98c each..... **98c**

15c FINE WHITE NAINSOOK—Fully 29 inches wide and extra fine. Splendid for ladies' fine underwear. Wednesday special, per yard..... **9c**

House Gowns

LONG KIMONOS—Of dotted dimity, in a beautiful assortment of colors and designs, with trimmings. Wednesday special, for..... **85c**

ONE-PIECE HOUSE DRESSES—Of good percale, in stripes and polka dots, medium and dark shades, in various styles; $1.00 values. Wednesday special..... **75c**

WRAPPERS—Of fine percale, in dark shades of blue, grey and black, trimmed with fitted lining and full dounced skirt; $1.00 values. Wednesday special..... **67c**

DRESSING SACQUES—Of flannelette, in pretty Persian patterns, high neck, long sleeves and fitted back with belt; $1.00 values. Wednesday special..... **67c**

Underwear: Hosiery

UNDERWEAR—Women's bleached fine cotton ribbed vests, long sleeves, ankle length and short sleeves, low neck, sleeveless; also umbrella style; also fine lisle vests; all sizes. Regular price 25c, at 19c each..... **19c**

UNDERWEAR—Women's bleached fleece lined fine ribbed shaped vests, long sleeves with silk tape, length and ankle length; also umbrella style; all sizes; 50c quality, only 39c each..... **39c**

UNION SUITS—Women's bleached fine cotton ribbed Union Suits, long sleeves, ankle length; also high neck, long sleeves, ankle length; all sizes. Regular 50c values at 35c each. Wednesday special..... **35c**

HOSIERY—Women's black cotton seamless cotton Stockings, very elastic, spliced heels and toes. Our special price 15c for a pair..... **15c**

Footwear Bargains

1000 PAIRS OF WOMEN'S WARM FANCY SLIPPERS—All sizes. Values to $1.25, at..... **69c**

50 CASES OF GIRLS' RUBBERS—In low and storm styles, all sizes to 2. Regular No. 2. Price..... **35c**

2000 PAIRS OF MEN'S ARCTICS—Heavy weight and in all sizes. Price Wednesday..... **89c**

2250 PAIRS OF WOMEN'S BOOTS—In small and broken sizes. Good-year welts, at 79c a pair..... **79c**

200 PAIRS OF GIRLS' STORM BOOTS—High cut, doll calf, button style, size 11 to 2. Regular $2.50 and $3.50, at $1.98 a pair..... **1.19**

1000 PAIRS OF WOMEN'S BOOTS—All bargains, marked prices $2.50 and $3.50, at $1.98 a pair..... **1.98**

Coats and Furs

200 RAIN COATS—In tan and gray, with velvet collar, size 14 to 44. Regular $5.50 value, at..... **1.90**

150 CARACUL COATS—32 inches long, with shawl collar, at..... **6.50**

75 BROWN COney SETS—Muff and scarf, at..... **98c**

No Mail Orders.

100 BLACK RUSSIAN LYNX SHAWL SCARFS—$3.50 value, at..... **2.19**

MUFFS to match..... **2.98**

Waists

HOUSE WAISTS—In odorette and percale, in plain colors; also fine stripes. A splendid, serviceable waist..... **39c**

WHITE LAWN WAISTS—Button back and front, with sleeve embroidered fronts, long sleeves, tucked back. Value $1.25. Special, A..... **79c**

SOILED WAISTS that have accumulated from our 98c, $1.25, $1.49 and $1.98 numbers, all sizes, on sale for 10 minutes only..... **50c**

VELVETTA WAISTS—With silk yoke and trimmings, in black and navy. Other colors are gray, green, brown and cerise. Value $2.00 values..... **1.49**

Smallwares

Lot of Snow Boots, Soil Scrub Brushes. Regular value 15c, choice..... **5c**

Lot of Shoe and Nail Brushes. Regular value 25c, choice..... **10c**

Lot of Bias Fold Dusting Cotton, all colors, balls..... **5c**

Lot of Bias Fold Silk Velvet. Regular value 15c, special, per yard..... **5c**

Lot of Bias Fold Silk Velvet. Regular value 10c, special, per yard..... **5c**

Lot of Sac Pins, Pins, extra quality, Jacquet French Shoe Blacking, 15c, 5c

Lot of Tooth Powders, 25c size, only 15c

Tooth Brushes, regular value 15c, special at..... **7c**

Safety Pins, all sizes. Regular value 5c, special..... **2 dozen 5c**

Wall Paper

REMNANTS FOUND DURING STOCKTAKING

A number of lots from 8 to 20 rolls, that regular prices were 25c to 40c a roll, now, a..... **3c to 12½c**

REMNANTS of Papers and Borders, lots of 2 and 4 rolls; regular prices 5c to 40c, a roll..... **1c**

Underwear: Corsets

FLANNELETTE GOWNS—Made of pink, blue and white stripes, double yoke with collar and pocket, at..... **39c**

LADIES' COMBINATION GARMENTS—Fitted over arm shield and drawer and corset, handsome embroidered yokes, dainty trimmings, finished with lace, at..... **49c**

LONG WHITE SKIRTS—Made of fine cloisters of tin tucks and hem, and deep flounce of fine embroidery, at..... **25c**

LADIES' DRAWERS—Muscovite cotton, deep umbrella ruffle, deep hemstitched hem and clusters of tin tucks; open or full closed, special..... **25c**

CORSET SPECIAL—Odds and ends of high grade popular makes, some have neat stitching, coutil and up-to-date models, at..... **43c**

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TEA APRONS—Made of fine lawn, cut round, and trimmed with full ruffle of embroidery. Special..... **12½c**

MERCERIZED SATEEN PETTICOATS—Of soft finished materials, plain ruffle, made with clusters of tucks and ruffle..... **43c**

Children's Wear

CHILDREN'S FLANNELETTE PETTICOATS—Of good quality, in pink and blue stripes. Price 59c. Wednesday..... **49c**

INFANTS' SLIPS—Of fine soft Nainsook, with yoke. Regular price 29c. Wednesday, at..... **19c**

INFANTS' SHORT WHITE DRESSES—Of fine, soft nainsook, hamburg yoke, sizes 6 months to 2 years; regular value 19c. Wednesday..... **10c**

CHILDREN'S SLEEPERS—Of flannelette, in pink and white; also white sateen; sizes 2 years only; regular price 29c. Wednesday..... **19c**

INFANTS' MUFFS—Of white bear cloth, with dog's head and feet; white angora fur; special value 59c. Wednesday..... **49c**

CHILDREN'S BLANKET BATH ROBES—Of eiderdown, in good quality and fancy stripes, in all sizes; regular price $1.98, for this sale, at..... **98c**

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—Of gingham and chambray, in plain colors and checks; sizes 2 to 6 years; worth 98c, special at..... **49c**

CHILDREN'S SWEATER COATS—For cleansing and gingham; sizes 2 to 6 years; regular price 49c, for Wednesday..... **29c**

INFANTS' KNIT DRAWER LEGGINGS—Hand made, fancy stitch; regular $1.49, with and without feet. Price Wednesday..... **98c**

CHILDREN'S BLOOMER SUITS—Made of galateen, in pretty striped effects, in navy and red; worth 69c, special..... **39c**

Ribbons

TAFFETA RIBBON—5 inches wide, all new silk, extra good quality and stiff finish in all the wanted colors, including pink, blue, navy, lilac, maze, etc. Value 10c per yard, at..... **5c**

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Diameter.	Mfrs. Price.	Cut Price.
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Petroleum Jelly, very finest quality, in 10-ounce glass jars. Regular price 15c each..... **8c**

Bland's Iron Pills, bottle of 100 of very highest grade, 5-grain..... **19c**

Cuticura Antiseptic Tablets, Dr. Seller's formula; glass jar of 50 large tablets..... **16c**

Celluloid Combs, black, white and fancy colors and a variety of shapes. Regular 25c quality..... **17c**

Court Plaster, packages of 3 colors, regular 10c quality..... **5c**

Piaud's Toilet Powder, violet scented, the finest of all Piaud's toilet powders. Regular 50c quality..... **39c**

Babcskin Toilet Soap. Regular price 10c, large box of 3 cakes..... **19c**

Rubber Gloves, very finest quality, in a full assortment of sizes. The quality..... **42c**

Fine Soaps, in a large assortment of very high quality, full pint bottles. Regular price 15c a bottle..... **9c**

Malt Extract, very choice quality. Regular 15c bottles..... **8c**

Outdoor Corn Razors. Regular price 25c each..... **19c**

Razors—10 dozen very choice Standard make razors, guaranteed satisfactory in every respect. Regular $1.00 quality..... **42c**

Razor Strops—An assorted lot of very fine strop dressing. Regular $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 strops for..... **49c**

Underwear

MEN'S ENGLISH RAINCOATS—Double texture tan cassimere, plaid lined, all sizes, 34 to 44. Wednesday special, per day price..... **5.98**

BOYS' ALL-WOOL SWEATERS—In sizes 28 to 34, in white and cardinal red, worth $1.40. Wednesday choice (Sweater Dept., Third Floor)..... **98c**

LADIES' ALL-WOOL SWEATERS—In fancy weaves in cardinal, oxford and white; sizes 36 to 44, worth $2.50. Wednesday..... **1.49**

SWEATER COATS—Dept., Third Floor.

HOCKEY CAPS AND TOQUES—In ten pleated worsted. All combinations of red cotton, white and navy. Wednesday special..... **21c**

(Sweater Dept., Third Floor.)

1000 BOYS' BLUE SERGE KNICKER SUITS—Sizes 7 to 17, or for trimmed and Russian Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8 years. Wednesday..... **1.89**

45 DOZEN BOYS' KNICKERS—In cotton, linen, serge and fancy mixtures, trimmed with taped seams for hard wear, sizes 5 to 18 years, worth 69c. Wednesday special..... **45c**

BOYS' $5.00 LONG OVERCOATS—In dark fall shades, sizes 9 to 17 years, made with Presto and convertible collars. Wednesday..... **3.69**

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$05 PAIRS MEN'S TROUSERS—In dark striped worsteds and cassimere, sizes 30 to 46 waist. Wednesday only..... **1.98**

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(Main Floor, Men's Clothing.)

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HALF HOSE—Medium weight silk lisle half hose, with tripe heels and toes, black and colors; 25c value on sale..... **15c**

PAJAMAS—Heavy fancy domet flannel pajamas, with military collar, in stripe and neat patterns, $1.50 value, at..... **1.15**

SWEATERS—Winter weight wool mixed sweater coats, in oxford gray with trimmings and buttons, $1.00 value, special..... **74c**

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BRASS BED OUTFIT—A heavy 2-inch post, good brass bed in bright or satin finish, an all steel spring, National or Ideal Edge" combination fiber mattress, with silk cotton tops and ends and fancy art ticking. All sizes. Complete..... **18.98**

BED OUTFIT—Brass trimmed white enamel bedstead, with 2 fancy fillers, an all iron spring, with silk cotton mattress, and a pair of cotton mattress. All sizes. Complete..... **8.75**

MATTRESSES—Regular full thickness and weight, with clean white cotton top and bottom and all standard centers. Extra heavy fancy striped ticking. All sizes..... **3.98**

CRIBS—All iron white enamel crib, trimmed, with high ends, sliding sides and No-Mend corner fillers. Complete with white cotton mattress. For Wednesday..... **6.98**

COUCH BEDS—Drop side pattern. Adjusts to 3 different widths. All brassed steel frame, with heavy wire spring and two extra rows of coil springs underneath to brace up the centre. $2.98 each..... **2.98**

PILLOWS—Guaranteed down pillows. Regular $2.25 values. Size 20x28. Well filled. Sanitary blue and white stripe ticking. At only $1.19 each..... **1.19**

Furniture Dept.

DINING TABLE—Solid oak dining table, 42-inch round top, heavy pedestal base with claw feet. Regular $12.50 value. Wednesday special..... **8.95**

DINING CHAIR—Solid golden oak dining chair, slip seat of genuine leather, brass frame with claw feet. Reg. $3..... **1.98**

PARLOR ROCKERS—Mahogany finished large parlor rocker, with full spring base and construction are first-class. Regular $6.95 value. Wednesday special..... **3.98**

DRESSERS—Solid oak dressers, golden finish, 4 drawers, 18x24 oval bevel plate mirror. Regular $10.98 value. Wednesday special..... **7.98**

Drapery Section.

COUCH COVERS—60-inch Oriental covers, in rich colorings, rug patterns and stripes. Regular $1.49 value. Wednesday's sale, to close at..... **1.79**

WASH CURTAINS—Made of fine soft white quality of striped muslin, hemmed and headed ready to hang. Three curtains are worth 15c a pair. Wednesday's sale, to close at..... **9c**

CURTAIN SCRIMS—In colors, both Dutch and Oriental patterns, some with plain centres and borders, some with figured centres and borders and lamaler perfectly. Worth 25c a yard. To close on Wednesday..... **15c**

LEATHER SKINS—We offer for Wednesday's sale about 200 hides of leather, in light and dark tan, about 24 inches square. They are suitable for table mats, pillow covers and fancy work. Worth 75c each. To close out at..... **35c**

CURTAIN RODS—Brass extension tubes, trimmed with plain brass ball ends. They are suitable for hanging long and Dutch curtains. Worth 15c each. To close..... **9c**

RENAISSANCE CURTAINS—Made of a good quality of French cable net, trimmed with cable lace insertion and lace corner medallion. Battenberg edge. These curtains are worth $3.50 a pair. For Wednesday's sale..... **2.45**

Carpet Department

OIL CLOTH—Solid cubines to manufacturer's slight imperfection, 2 yards wide. Regular 49c value. Wednesday's sale..... **19c**

AXMINSTER RUGS—Choice patterns.

Size.	Value.	At
27x54	2.25	1.98
30x60	4.00	2.98

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS—Worth $1 one piece, size 9x12. $15.99 **10.98**

HIGH-GRADE AXMINSTER RUGS—Floral and oriental patterns.

Size.	At
8.3x10.6	17.98
9x12	20.98

INGRAINS—Extra super all wool Ingrain Carpets. Regular 65c value, at 50c per yard..... **50c**

In Basement

COMBINATION of Wire Dish Drainer, with rack for plates and white enamel dish drainer. Worth 39c. For Wednesday..... **29c**

SLEEVE BOARDS—"The Auxiliary," fastened to table and when not in use can be tipped back for waist. Regular 25c value. For Wednesday's sale..... **24c**

GLASS BUTTER CHURNS for whipping cream, beating eggs, etc.; have revolving arms and 3-quart capacity. Regular 49c. Price Wednesday..... **49c**

GLASS GLOBES—High tulip pattern etched in floral design. Regular 19c value. For Wednesday..... **19c**

GAS BURNERS—The inverted kind, of brass, adjustable valve, complete with mantle and globe, as used in office drugs. Worth 39c. Price Wednesday..... **39c**

Groceries

Maine Sugar Corn, 3 cans for 25c, or a can..... **9c**

California Seeded Raisins. Regular 14c package, 4lb. at..... **9c**

Imported Norwegian Smoked Sardines, in pure olive oil. Regular 15c can..... **9c**

Oxford or English Breakfast Tea. Regularly 60c lb..... **43c**

Imported Japanese Style Macaroni or Spaghetti. Regular 15c pkg..... **11c**

Rue's Imported Italian Pure Olive Oil. Regular 75c bottle.....

NEW SOPRANO IN RIGOLETTO

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

A new coloratura soprano was introduced to Boston audiences at the opera last night in Yvonne de Treville, who comes from leading European opera houses via New Orleans and who was heralded as nonpareil.

Miss de Treville may be remembered by some of the older music lovers as one of the attractions of the Castle Square Opera Company in the good old days when opera in English brought real money into the box offices.

There was a large audience and an enthusiastic one, the more so as the opera was "Rigoletto," and Constantino, Maria Gay and Didur were in the cast.

Miss De Treville proved to be pretty, but in other respects hardly up to the standard of the Boston Opera. We have been listening to Tetrazzini recently, and Evelyn Scotney, a phenomenal soprano, and last year we had Melba and Lydia Lipkowska. Perhaps that is why Miss De Treville does not seem quite so wonderful as her press agent asserted.

She is not a young singer and therefore we ought not to pass over her faulty method which makes a naturally good voice seem uneven. It is not a voice lovely in sustained song, and it is not a pleasant quality in the lower register and middle.

Her high voice is sweet and brilliant in places, but it has holes in it. Some of her high tones were clear and fine, others were screechy. Her first effort at a high E in "Caro Nome" was flat and very, very small. Her second was tuneful but very tiny and it broke off short.

Nevertheless, Miss Treville is not a bad singer, and in opera houses where such instant comparison would not be made with the world's great voices, should have a success. Dramatically she was quite adequate.

Constantino continually astonishes one in "Rigoletto." Last night his voice was marvelously clear and pure and rich with color, and his art was never more delightfully displayed.

Didur also should be penised for a creditable dramatic performance of Rigoletto. Here is a man who sings the music of the hunchback, does not bellow it or bray it, and displays the melody of it as few Rigolettos do.

Marin Gay did wonders with the small part of Maddalena and Madrones sang superbly as Sparafucile. The male chorus, too, was impressive, and Mr. Cosgrove's reading of the score was fiery and spirited.

Views of the Richeson Case as Expressed in Letters and Editorials

Editorials in New England newspapers, discussing the Richeson case, are strong in condemning the poisoner of Avis Linnell and the majority oppose the commutation of the death sentence of Clarence V. T. Richeson. The murderer is denounced for his atrocious crime and is referred to as one who "stole the cloak of religion to serve the devil in."

Some of these editorial references to the case follow:

Scranton, Pa., Courier.

Richeson, the self-confessed poisoner of Avis Linnell, has received his death sentence to expiate his crime in the electric chair during the week of May 19th. He has begged, and that Governor Foss will commute his sentence to imprisonment for life, but there are plenty of people who hope that the Governor will have the quick backbone as our own Governor Mead had in Kent's case and turn a deaf ear to the petition of the fool fiend that stole the cloak of religion to serve the devil in.

Foster's Daily Democrat, Dover, N. H.

There is an impression among the churches that Clarence Richeson has seen Judas Iscariot and got him one better.

Bangor, Me., Commercial.

In connection with the Richeson case, before it was determined that there would be no trial, the suggestion arose for suppression of publicity and it is stated that a plan assuming such will be offered in the Massachusetts Legislature, on the ground that the avoidance of such publicity is in the interest of public welfare, a view that is entirely incorrect and false.

It is undoubtedly true that some newspapers take too great liberties with the private affairs of individuals, but the great mass of journals pay proper respect to the rights of individuals and treat crimes and trials in a proper manner.

The Richeson case is a particularly unsavory one, but it affords a great local example that will be more effective as a deterrent from crime than hundreds of sermons and homilies.

Newburyport News.

The minister in Ware who in a sermon held the church responsible for a murderer like Richeson was indulging in the yellowest of yellow utterances, and knowing how ill-balanced he is and how far from being safe as a leader of the thought of a community. The greatest of care and the utmost of diligence cannot prevent the appearance now and then of a man who is outwardly religious and devout, but who is inwardly foul and irreligious.

Such men are a surprise and a scandal to all good men and women. Perhaps they are something of a surprise and an enigma even to themselves.

Hartford Times.

Praise must be given to the Rev. George E. Horr, president of the Newton (Mass.) Theological Institution, where the late Clarence V. T. Richeson was graduated, for the address in which he candidly recognized the duty of those who had furnished instruction to the murderer of Avis Linnell to furnish to the public some explanation of the admission of so heartless a scoundrel to the ministry of the gospel of Jesus Christ. That is a question which must have arisen in the minds of millions of Americans. Was there sufficiently careful scrutiny of the character and ability of this man by those who opened to him the door of opportunity and gave him a certificate of fitness as a "religious teacher and leader?"

If now we examine carefully the evidence which has been published concerning Richeson's conduct after he began his career as a pastor we find that while he made some friends he awakened distrust wherever he went by his eccentricities and poorly concealed insincerities.

Is it not possible for our schools of divinity and theology to guard more thoroughly against such a rascal as this Richeson? Is the demand for young men in the Protestant pulpit so great that it is possible for candidates who are possessed neither of virtue nor of average ability to be admitted to the ministerial profession? Is the investigation of their moral and intellectual qualifications as efficient as it ought to be?

The AMERICAN is in receipt of many letters from its readers, some of which urge the carrying out of the death sentence as imposed on Clarence Richeson for the murder of Avis Linnell, while others favor commutation to life imprisonment. Here are some of the letters:

"Capital punishment is a discordance to the law of God. His law does not minister it. I am surprised at the clergymen of Boston and vicinity that have expressed themselves in this case and glanced over it superficially and not gone into deep researchs from the real beginning to the end of his trumpted crime that he had fallen into. Myself and the majority of deep thought people are not rest in regard to this case."

"MISS ESTHER NELSON.

"Seymore street, Roslindale."

"I believe that a great number of the noble editorials that have been printed in your paper has shown much to profane correct principles in making the decision, take exceptions to a certain editorial that appeared in your paper a few days ago, treating of the Richeson case. Is it possible that there was no charity in spirit? I was for several years a student of the Gordon Theological College in England, and this may account for my leaning more toward sympathy for a criminal than condemnation of, a man who is in the depths of distress.

I think the Richeson crime is something to weep over and plead not for a logo for invective. If he is going to hell—let him come. Let the clergy wait others—but hold their judgment in abeyance. Vengeance is mine, saith the Almighty. It would be very interesting if the clergymen so ready to stand pat on electrocuting Richeson would serve as a lightning rod in the city and the Lord hath not done it.—Amos III., 6. Basil shows that God gives to man the power to strike or miss you.

It was not the foe who did the thing. The arrow from the bow may seem to issue.

But we know an archer drew the string.

The archer in Richeson's case was the devil. Let us ask ourselves what would our Lord and Master do and say to Richeson if in the flesh He stepped into his cell today? Let the clergy answer this question.

Yours very respectfully,

WALTER T. NUELL.

Richeson and Phelps.

Editor AMERICAN:

What seems to be overlooked by everyone except the Richeson case is the fact that the "clemency" consideration seriously affect the case of Silas Phelps, who, previous to the Richeson confession, had a fairly good chance for a commutation of sentence.

It looks now as though it might be deemed unfair to commute Phelps' sentence and not Richeson's. Such is not the case as far as fairness is concerned, and it is to be hoped that the Council will not take that view of it.

Phelps's crime was not a worked-out, cold-blooded, deliberate murder, and many that I've talked with on the subject believe he is entitled to clemency.

I should suggest that you advocate the hearing of the Phelps case as though the Richeson affair should be entirely a dead subject whatever, as it is bound to have unless the matter is given a rehearing.

Richeson was a murderer for three whole days after he gave the poor Linnell girl the poison—every minute of it—every hour of it, he had no compunction. Any other sort of a murderer would have repented at some time during those seventy-two hours. Waiting, waiting at the Edmands home most of the time, to hear that awful news. He didn't have to go to the Linnell girl. He could have called her on the 'phone if he feared he might arrive there at the inopportune moment.

No crime could equal that of Richeson's and there is little or no chance that he will be extended clemency.

But I wish you would, through the columns of your paper, advocate that the case of Phelps be handled by the Council as if the Richeson case was not on the calendar.

I think it will be a move in the cause of fair play as Phelps had a great deal of public sympathy that is now somewhat lost sight of.

JUSTICE AND CONSIDERATION.

Deserves a Chance.

Editor AMERICAN:

In reading over the letters printed in the AMERICAN in regards to the Richeson case, I find that about everybody is against Mr. Richeson and everybody crying for his execution, but as I look at the case as the papers give it, I am one that is in favor of life imprisonment instead of death for Mr. Richeson.

In my mind Mr. Richeson deserves a chance for repentence as well as others that have got it and others that are getting by. The Governor's Council ought to let Mr. Richeson have life imprisonment, as well as the young man by the name of Fall, who shot and killed two men right in the court room before many eyes. I don't know as Mr. Fall's case was before the Governor's Council, or not, but he got "life imprisonment."

How many persons have died through conviction and after found innocent. Give the person a chance even if it is only for repentence. (Signed) H. KELLEY,

Wakefield, Mass.

Asks Question of Ministers.

Editor AMERICAN:

Allow me, please, to ask the Christian world, more especially the ministers of the Gospel who clamor for C. V. T. Richeson's electrocution, a question.

Would Jesus Christ clamor for C. V. T. Richeson's blood as they do?

I do not believe He would.

(Signed) J. S. H.,

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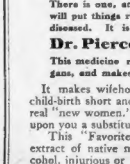

He didn't complain if you were a little despondent or irritable at times. Now he does. He's the same man. He didn't understand then. He doesn't now. Then he wouldn't take a price and liked it. Now he thinks it is caprice and doesn't like it. But now he's busy getting money.

If he realized the full truth he would be more than anxious to have the wife he loves take the right remedy to restore her to true womanly health. Most men don't know that when a woman is weak, nervous, irritable or despondent, there is invariably something radically wrong with the delicate feminine organs with which her entire physique is in sensitive sympathy.

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INSANITY PLEA FOR RICHESON

In spite of the widespread and apparently overwhelming public cry for the extreme penalty in the case of Clarence V. T. Richeson, his lawyers are getting ready for a most determined fight to save his life.

The petition which soon will be submitted to the Governor for commutation of sentence to life imprisonment will be based on a plea of spasmodic insanity, augmented by an appeal for mercy.

It will be contended that the prisoner has already suffered acutely; that he is sorry for his act; that he feels genuine contrition; that justice will be satisfied by the imposition of a life term in prison where he may be able to do some good; that for the sake of the fair name of the church and the Christian religion a minister, no matter how recent, should not be put to death, and that he deserves clemency because he admitted his guilt, thereby dispelling all doubt, satisfying the public mind and saving you Government the expense and trouble of a trial which would cost from $2,000 to $10,000.

Bitter as is the agitation at present it has not dismayed Richeson's attorneys. They claim to be in the fight to stay.

At the close of a long conference in his office, Attorney William A. Morse said:

"Some of the newspapers have hinted that Governor Foss would not be likely to even accept our petition. The inference was given that as it was within his power to accept or reject a petition for clemency according to the merits, that he wouldn't bother the Governor's mind with one that, on that theory is premature and farfetched.

"You will find that the Governor will give us full courtesy and that our petition will not be rejected without careful consideration. You will find also that public sentiment is not so one-sided in this matter as it appears to be just from the surface. We shall have due support when the time comes.

"I have not yet done anything in connection with the actual drawing up of the petition. I shall start its preparation within a few days and submit it to the Governor shortly after. No date has been set for the return of Attorney John L. Lee from Virginia before proceeding with the petition. When he gets back we will join forces."

Mr. Lee is expected in about ten days.

Mr. Morse says that while public sentiment against Richeson is bitter, there are persons of standing who will sign a petition to have the death sentence commuted to life imprisonment.

CARUSO REFUSES ADVANCE IN INCOME

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—New York isn't going to lose Caruso and his golden voice —at least not in the near future. The great tenor said so himself when he told a reporter that it was untrue that his services for the Summer Grand Opera season had been captured by Oscar Hammerstein.

"Mr. Hammerstein," said Caruso, "came over to Europe to make me a proposition, which he did. He offered me more money than I have been getting from the Metropolitan, but I refused. I am under contract with the Metropolitan and intend to stay there."

MRS. MARY BABBITT IS DEAD FROM GAS

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Mary King Babbitt, wife of Eugene Howard Babbitt, college professor and author, is dead of asphyxiation. Mrs. Babbitt, known as a lecturer, had planned a series of addresses to be given during the Winter. She was found dead, propped up in bed, with an open book before her. Death was accidental.

Mrs. Babbitt was Mary Brigham King of Concord, Mass.

SALEM MAN IS FROZEN IN NORTH

Word has been received in Salem of the death of Joseph Thibodeau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Placide Thibodeau of No. 7 Corinth street, whose frozen body was found on the South shore of Lake Nipissing, North Bay, Ontario. Mr. Thibodeau was the mail carrier for Hettler's lumber camp and was overcome by the cold on his way to the camp during a storm. Mr. Thibodeau left this city last September with a logging party. He was unmarried.

FORMER LYNN MAN SUICIDE BY POISON

GREAT FALLS, Mont., Jan. 16.—Rufus R. Southworth, aged sixty-seven, unmarried, who served in the Civil War in a Lynn, Mass., company, committed suicide here by taking 120 grains of strychnine in his room in a hotel. The body will be shipped to Lynn, Mass., for burial, leaving here to-morrow afternoon.

SEE PORT DIRECTORS ON NEPONSET RIVER

The Neponset Improvement Association elected the following officers at its meeting last night: President, Matthew F. Cummings; vice-president, John J. Reilly; treasurer, James Flanigin; secretary, William H. Murphy. B. Dorsey was appointed legislative agent. A committee of three was appointed to confer with the port directors regarding Neponset River.

EMMONS NAMED AS COLLECTOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The most tenacious patronage fight in Maine for many years came to a close when the President sent the name of W. T. Emmons of York County, to be Collector of Customs at Portland. When confirmed by the senate, Mr. Emmons will succeed Charles M. Moses, who is now closing out his third term of four years. The place pays $6,000 salary.

LODGE ASKED TO AID E. R. GRAVES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Senator Lodge was asked by Donald C. MacDonald of Boston to help in obtaining the release of Erwin R. Graves, formerly of Boston and later of New York, from the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta under the Durham law. Graves was sentenced with a man named Ellis for three years on conviction of having made improper use of the United States mails.

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VICTORIA'S PLEA BARS EXECUTION

MADRID, Jan. 16.—King Alfonso has authorized a friend to give to the newspaper correspondents his own version of the commuting of the sentence of Chato or Cornil, the leader of the gang in Valencia who killed Judge Lopes Rueda and Chief of Police Ibak. It was because of the King's act in commuting the sentence that Premier Canalejas and the Spanish Cabinet resigned.

The King pays a high tribute to the loyalty of the Premier, who, the King says, acted in strict accordance with law and custom in spite of the fact that he is opposed to capital punishment. Continuing, the King said:

"These last few days have been the saddest and most difficult of my life. I have had to choose between the two questions of letting the law be exactly fulfilled or exercising the royal clemency by granting amnesty to the entire band of murderers. During the whole of Saturday and Sunday the mental struggle was terrible. Neither the Queen nor myself could think of anything but the wretched man who had been sentenced to expiate on Monday the dastardly crime which had brought him within the grasp of the law. I had seen the faces of his mother and brother in the weekly illustrated newspapers, and the memory of them produced a terrible impression upon me.

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SPRING HILL DANCE TO-NIGHT

The young people of St. Catherine's parish, Somerville, are much interested in the annual ball of the Spring Hill Catholic Club, which will be held to-night at Antoine Hall, that city. The president, Miss Alice M. Sullivan, floor director, will be assisted by these aids: Misses Mary R. Brennan, Helen Dinan, Mary Carney, Katherine Egan, Katherine Fitzmaurice, Rose Griffin, Alice Jones, Leah C. Melvin, May Keegan, Rose Niles, Elizabeth O'Toole, Louise Rogers, S. Dorothy Sennaka, Louise Connolly and Katherine Powers. Mrs. John C. Niles, Mrs. James Noonan and Mrs. Maurice Dunning will be matrons.

Four years ago the club was organized for the special purpose of giving shows, dances and fairs in aid of the new church building fund. The officers are: President, Miss Alice M. Sullivan; vice-president, Miss Rose Griffin; treasurer, Miss Elizabeth M. O'Toole; recording secretary, Miss Katherine E. Powers; financial secretary, Miss Mary F. Moran. The young women have conducted many successful social events during the past four years, and to-night's affair promises to be one of the best of all.

PROTEST BRITISH STAND IN PERSIA

LONDON, Jan. 16.—A resolution protesting against the British government's acquiescence in the Russian action in Persia has been adopted at a meeting in the Opera House called by the Persian Committee of the House of Commons.

QUINN OUT FOR JAIL PUBLICITY

John Quinn, Jr., Sheriff of Suffolk County, intends to invite the Finance Commission to inspect all the workings of his office. He also is willing to adopt any measure regarding the improvement of the present system of keeping accounts the commission may suggest.

"I intend," says Sheriff Quinn in a statement just issued, "inasmuch as Boston forms so great a part of Suffolk County to invite the Boston Finance Commission to thoroughly inspect the present system of bookkeeping in the Suffolk County Jail.

"I will invite the commission to inspect all of the supplies brought into the county jail and to examine the bills for same before I approve them each month as is customary.

"I will allow the commission to weigh each load or consignment of supplies for the jail before or just after it is received and will permit them to take samples of the supplies to compare them with any other, with or without my knowledge.

"I will also permit the commission to take account of stock of the supplies in the jail at any time without previous notice to me.

"During the short time I have occupied the position of sheriff I have made a careful an examination of the jail and its systems as time would permit, and I have the highest confidence in the ability and devotion to duty of the men left by the late Sheriff Seavey."

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LABOUCHERE IS DEAD IN ITALY

FLORENCE, Italy, Jan. 16.—Henry Labouchere, famous English statesman and editor, died here to-day.

Mr. Labouchere, who was the editor of London Truth, died at his home, the villa Orlanda. He had been suffering for some time from bronchitis.

PREMIER YUAN ESCAPES BOMB

PEKIN, Jan. 16.—Two soldiers and four civilians were killed in an unsuccessful attempt to assassinate Premier Yuan Shai Kai to-day. A bomb was hurled at the premier just as he was leaving the palace at noon

TALK HAMMOND FOR PARIS POST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—President Taft is considering John Hays Hammond; Lars Anderson, Minister to Belgium; and Huntington Wilson, Assistant Secretary of State, for the post of Ambassador to France, to succeed Robert Bacon.

FEAR UPRISING IN MACEDONIA

ROME, Jan. 16.—Advices from Albania and Macedonia to-day state that the situation is grave. Those two countries are on the verge of the greatest revolution in many years, for the post of Ambassador to Turkey is massing troops at all strategic points in fear of an uprising.

30,000 LOSE HOMES BY FIRE

TOKIO, Jan. 16.—Fire swept the city of Osaka on the Island of Hondo to-day. Several hundred houses had been destroyed. The authorities estimated the homeless at more than 30,000. The fire started in South Osaka.

BROCK ELECTION COST 30 CENTS

It cost School Commissioner George E. Brock just thirty cents for re-election, according to a sworn statement just filed with the City Clerk. Joseph Lee, his running mate, spent $2,279.90 in contributions and expenses.

JUDGE POWERS OUT FOR SENATE

HOULTON, Me., Jan. 16.—Former Associate Justice of the Maine Supreme Court Frederick A. Powers has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for United States senator before the primaries next June.

Wednesday, January 17th, Is Blue Ribbon Day at Gilchrist's

Part of our Store is being torn down. We're keeping up business volume in the part that remains.

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15.00 Seal Plush Coats—Full length model, satin lined, durable quality seal plush with large shawl collar, lined with guaranteed quality gold satin, all sizes; white only 9.98

Women's and Misses' 7.50 Dresses—All-wool serge dresses, made with yoke, button front, prettily trimmed with bands, tucks and buttons; all sizes 4.98

4.00 Panama Skirts—Made from extra quality all-wool Panama, panel front and back, over cluster of fine pleats, side plaited style, inverted plaits at each; all sizes, in black and navy 1.98

5.00 Junior Coats—Made from extra quality all-wool shetland, full length model, box self-lined, sailor collar with large cuffs to match; sizes 14 to 20 ..... 3.98

Women's and Misses' 15.00 Suits—All-wool suits, made from the finest broadcloths, cassimeres, fancy tweeds, cheviots and mixtures, lined with Skinner's Satin; many styles 5.00

Misses 10.00 Suits—Made from Lenox-serge, clayed in the yarn, guaranteed against fading, Skinner's Satin lined throughout; sizes 14 to 20 ..... 5.00

Women's 2.00 House Dresses—One piece chambray house dresses, cut extra full in round neck style, 3 sheers with fancy cuff, button from neck to hem, with fancy round buttons, in color; light, lavender and dark, and white check; sizes 34 to 46 ..... 1.00

Girls' Dresses

(Fourth Floor, Washington St. Side)

Girls' 2.00 Dresses—Ginghams, mohairs, percales, linen, new gingham 98c

Children's 1.00 Dresses—Made of Shirting and Gingham, in large wanted 3-piece effect, open from neck to hem, finished in fly of plain contrasting color 49c

WOMEN'S HOSIERY

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

$1.00 Silk Hose—Fine quality, pure dyed silk, lisle tops and soles, black only 55c

75c Boot Silk Hose—Fine quality silk, ingrain dyed, slightly irregular, 3 pairs for $1.00 ..... 39c

50c Silk Lisle Hose—Imported, highly mercerized fibred, lisle tops and soles, in colored boots and ties 29c

37½c Lisle Fashioned Cotton Hose—Imported, with silk lisle tops, black with white embroidered clocks 19c

25c Cotton Hose—Medium to light, full fashioned elastic rose 17c

25c Cotton Hose—Medium to heavy weight, ingrain dyed yarn, black with unbleached split soles 19c

Misses' 25c Ribbed Hose—Medium weight, fine ribbed, unbleached, elastic foot; sizes 6, 6½, 7, 7½ and 8 ..... 12½c

Infants' 25c and 50c Hose—Of fine Australian wool, soft and warm, domestic and imported, sample socks 15c

VEILS

(First Floor—Winter Street Side)

$1.00 Chiffon Cloth Veils—Imported, large size, fine quality, fine mesh, in black, white and wanted colors 49c

50c Tuxedo Mesh Veiling—Silk and fancy effects, also chenille dotted veiling, in black, white and wanted colors 25c

$2.50 Chiffon Veils—Size 2½ yards, 27 to 54 inches wide, in black, white and wanted colors 1.25

75c and $1.25 Shadow Allovers—18 inches wide, fine quality patterns, in white and ecru 49c

12½c to 25c Plaid Veil Laces—Small mesh effects, in white, black and wanted colors 6c

$1.00 Chiffon Cloth—42 inches wide, fine all silk quality, in white, black and wanted colors 49c

$1.50 to $2.00 Venise Allovers—Fine, all over effects, in white, small and large designs, 18 inches wide, small wanted, 27 inches wide 98c

8c to 25c Linen Torchon Laces—Matched sets of edges and insertions, widths up to 3 inches 5c

75c to $1.00 Oriental Allovers—Fine, all over effects, in white, a variety of designs, 42 wide, cream and ecru 49c

25c to 50c Fancy Allovers—Matched sets of edges and insertions, also all over style mesh effects, all desirable patterns, 18 inches wide, 12-yard pieces 19c

$1.25 to $1.50 Silk Embroidered Allovers—Fine, all over effects, in white, well covered effects, 18 inches wide, in white, black, Persian, navy and cream 79c

RIBBONS

(First Floor—Winter Street Side)

25c Taffeta Ribbon—5-inch all silk taffeta ribbon, good weight, soft finish, lustre, in pink, blue, white, cardinal, navy and black 15c

8c Underwear Ribbon—No. 16, good pattern, in white, black, cardinal, navy and pink 5c

20c Ribbons—4 to 6 inch taffeta, moire and satin ribbons, good quality and full line of white and cardinal 15c

15c to 18c Ribbons—7 to 9 inch satin and fancy ribbon, good quality and full line of wanted colors 10c

10c Dresden Ribbon—Fancy striped satin edge Dresden ribbon, dainty pattern in pink, blue, navy and white 6c

25c Taffeta Ribbon—3-inch all silk satin taffeta ribbon, high lustre, in white, navy, pink, blue, navy and cream 15c

12½c to 15c Taffeta Ribbon—4 inch all silk taffeta ribbon, good heavy quality in black, white and wanted colors 9c

39c Ribbon, Remnants—Of Dresden satin and taffeta ribbon, all perfect, full pieces 19c

Infants' and Children's Wear

(Fourth Floor—Washington St. Side)

Children's 50c Night Gowns—Flannelette in cream with pink and blue stripes and turndown collar, sizes 2 to 12 ..... 37c

Children's 19c Union Undervests—Short sleeves, ankle length 12½c

Infants' 25c Long Slips—Lace trimmed and tucked yoke 19c

Infants' 29c Cashmere Hose—In black, white and tan, sizes 4 to 6½ 17c

Children's 50c Skirts—White, with lace and Hamburg edge, sizes 4 to 14 ..... 25c

98c Golden Dresses—Fine nainsook, dainty French model, trimmed with contrast, sizes 6 months to 6 years 69c

Infants' 25c Wrapper Skirts—Flannelette, heavy weight, sizes 1 to 3 yrs. 19c

39c Sleeping Drawers—Pink and blue stripes, with feet, sizes 1 to 3 years 31c

CORSETS

(Third Floor—Washington St. Side)

$1.00 W. B. Corsets—New model, medium bust, long hip, lace trimmed top and draw string, 18 to 26, 2 sets of hose supporters attached 79c

$1.50 P. N. La Lily Corsets—Medium bust, long hip, lace trimmed top and draw string, 18 to 26, 2 sets of hose supporters attached 1.19

$2.00 C. B. American Lady Corsets—Medium bust, long hip, lace trimmed top and draw string, 18 to 26 ..... 1.49

$3.50 R. & G. Nemo Corsets—Imported coutil, new models, 18 to 26 ..... 1.98

$5.00 Vida Vida Corsets—18 to 26 ..... 2.49

70c Brassieres Bust Supporters 39c

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$1.25 Cluster Puff—All desirable shades, large size 49c

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25c Hair Roll—24-inch washable, extra quality 17c

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(Basement—Washington Street Side)

22c Pillow Case Tubing—45 inches wide, bleached 15c

17c Lockwood Cotton—45 inches wide, soft finish, bleached, medium weight 12½c

62c Sheets—Gilchrist special brand, 2x2½ yards, ready to use 49c

67c Sheets—Gilchrist special brand, plain hemmed, 2x2½ yards, ready to use 49c

35c Sheets—Hemmed, bleached, 2x2½ yards, ready to use 29c

17c Pillow Cases—Rival Brand, bleached, 42x36 inches 12½c

5c Huck Towels—Fine quality 3½c

BED FURNISHINGS

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

$4.50 Bed Spreads—Satin damask, extra large size $3.50

$1.50 Bed Spreads—White, hemmed, double warp bedspread $1.03

20c Embroidered Sheeting—36 inches wide 15c

$2.75 White Beacon Blankets—Extra large size $1.98

$6.00 White Wool Blankets—Size 72x84 inches $4.25

$2.25 Tufted Comforter—Printed sateen covered comforter $1.49

$2.00 Heavy Comforters—Fancy printed sateen 1.49

Linens and Wash Goods

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

87½c Table Damask—Fine bleached mercerized, 60 inches wide 69c

75c Table Damask—German damask, 72 inches wide 59c

12½c Gingham—Fine Zephyr gingham, in plaids 9c

12½c Dress Percale—Printed, 30 inches wide 9c

DRESS GOODS

(Second Floor—Winter Street Side)

The Ereen Weather Taffeta—A splendid line of colors, novelty shades and black, 36 inches wide 98c

Silk Cream Serge—Fine quality serge, 42 inches wide, soft finish, heavy quality, in cream, also cream with colored stripes, 40 inches wide 79c

59c Henrietta Remnants—One yard only, length of 1½ to 4½ yard pieces, all wool, 36 inches wide 39c

59c Shepherd Check Suiting—Fine, all wool quality, in black and white check effects, 36 inches wide 39c

59c Storm Serge—Worsted and cotton weave, in staple black, cardinal, navy and coral red, wide 35c

75c to $1.00 Fancy Suitings—Silk finished, 54-inch mixed suitings, 54-inch fancy worsted suitings, 54-inch fancy Scotch tweeds, 54-inch fancy Broadcloth suitings, all wool, 54 inches wide 49c

59c Black Suiting—Fine, all wool, 54 inches wide 39c

75c Storm Serge—Black only, pure wool, 54 inches wide 49c

$1.00 Leatina Brunella—Black only, all wool, 54 inches wide 69c

$1.50 Chevlot Suiting—Fashionable mixed cloth finish, wide wale effect, pure wool, 54 inches wide 98c

$4.98 Covert Coating—Beautiful diagonal weave, heavy quality, 54 inches wide, in cream only 3.49

$5.98 Seal Plush Coating—Fine quality, rich finish, resembling the real fur, 56 inches wide 4.98

$2.50 Germna Broadcloth—Spot proof, fine, even weight and finish, in staple and new French colorings, including black, 54 inches wide 1.98

$1.50 Worsted Suiting—In colorings of dark and light gray, stripe effects, all wool, 54 inches wide 98c

$1.00 Checked Suiting—Shepherd checked in black and white, heavy serge, all wool, 54 inches wide 69c

$1.00 to $1.50 Fancy Wool Suiting—Fancy mixed effects, in a variety of patterns, 54 inches wide 98c

$5.00 Mermabout Muffs—Of black and white mixed fancy satin lining, fancy pattern 3.50

$2.50 Marcrme Stock Collars—Of fancy patterns 1.98

25c Ribbon Roses—Hand-made, colors 18c

KNIT GOODS

(Hamilton Place Annex)

38c Wool Soles—Men's lamb wool sole, black only 29c

50c Wool Soles—Ladies' lamb wool sole, in black and white, assorted sizes 39c

$1.00 Aviation Caps—Made to order from fine worsted, in navy, cardinal and green 69c

$2.50 Tailored Skirt—A skirt made to your measure, from your own material, guaranteed to fit perfectly, or money back if payment is not satisfactory to you we will refund the money 1.00

Flannelette Underwear

(Third Floor—Washington St. Side)

69c Flannelette Night Robes—Assorted pink and blue stripes, fine quality heavy flannel, sizes 15, 16, 17 ..... 37c

$1.00 Night Robes—Striped patterns, collarless and full collar, white and colored 69c

$1.25 Night Robes—White only, fine quality flannel, full cut neck, heavy flannel, 69c

39c Underskirts—Pink and blue stripes, full gored and full 19c

69c Flannelette Skirts—Fancy stripes and patterns, also pink and blue stripes, 37c

UNDERMUSLINS

(Third Floor—Washington St. Side)

29c Corset Covers—Allover embroidered trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 18c

50c Corset Covers—Allover embroidered back and front, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 29c

$1.00 Corset Covers—Sheer nainsook, beautifully trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 69c

$1.00 Combinations—Nainsook and cambric muslin yoke and skirt lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 69c

$1.50 Combinations—Drawer and skirt, fine nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 98c

$2.50 Combinations—Fine nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... $1.89

69c Skirt Chemise—Yoke of dotted brushery edged with lace, skirt lace trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 49c

$1.75 Skirt Chemise—Lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 1.19

$2.50 Gowns—Nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 1.89

$1.50 Night Chemise—Lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 98c

$2.50 Gowns—Nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 1.89

Women's 39c Drawers—Open or closed, dotted Swiss with fancy stitching, sizes 25 to 27 ..... 19c

59c Drawers—Trimmed with Swiss embroidery and lace, open and close, sizes 25 to 27 ..... 37c

69c Drawers—Nainsook, lace and embroidery and lace, straight leg and circular, sizes 25 to 27 ..... 49c

79c Night Robes—Low neck and V neck, fancy stitched, short sleeves, lace and embroidered, sizes 15, 16, 17 ..... 49c

$1.00 Night Robes—Low neck and short sleeves, also low neck and short sleeves, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 15, 16, 17 ..... 69c

$1.50 Night Robes—Nainsook, lace and embroidery trimmed, sizes 15, 16, 17 ..... 98c

$2.50 Muslin Skirts—Dotted Swiss flouncing, lace and embroidery trimmed 1.89

59c Muslin Skirts—Dotted Swiss flouncing, lace and embroidery trimmed 39c

$1.00 Muslin Skirts—Dotted Swiss flouncing, lace and embroidery trimmed 69c

$1.50 and $2.50 Silk Petticoats—Messaline and taffeta silk petticoats, various styles and colors $1.49

$3.00 Silk Petticoats—Messaline and taffeta silk petticoats, fine quality and colors, tailored and accordion pleated flounce, sizes 25 to 27 ..... $3.79

PETTICOATS

(Third Floor—Washington St. Side)

69c Black Sateen Petticoats—Deep flounce, trimmed with tucks and dust ruffle, sizes 26, 30, 42 ..... 49c

$1.00 Sateen Petticoats—Tailored, full deep flounce trimmed with tucks and dust ruffle, sizes 26, 30, 42 ..... 69c

$1.50 Surah Satin Petticoats—Deep flounce, trimmed with tucks and dust ruffle, accordion pleated flounce, sizes 26, 30, 42 ..... 98c

$2.98 and $3.50 Silk Petticoats—Messaline and taffeta silk petticoats, various styles and colors $1.89

$5.00 Silk Petticoats—Messaline and taffeta silk petticoats, fine quality and colors, tailored and accordion pleated flounce, sizes 25 to 27 ..... $3.79

SILKS

(Second Floor—Winter Street Side)

$1.00 and 75c Messalines—30 inches wide, complete line of staple and fancy colors, also black, in street shades 79c

$3.50 Crepe de Chine—42 inches wide, rich, draping quality, bright dress colorings, also cream and black $2.49

50c and 75c Foulards—24 inches wide, fine quality, in a variety of patterns, also colors and new small patterns, also full line of black 39c

$2.50 Crepe Meteor—And Crepe Charmeuse, 36 inches wide, heavy, rich, lustrous quality in fancy wanted colors and white, also black $1.49

$1.25 Black Taffeta—Extra heavy, 36 inches wide, heavy pure silk quality, natural color, warp 98c

69c to $1.00 Silk Remnants—Short lengths up to 3 yards, in plain messaline, all silk taffeta, 20 to 36 inches wide, in street and evening shades, also fancy silks, in stripes and figures, 20 to 36 inches wide 49c

25c and 29c Pongees—24 inches wide, fine, soft quality, in natural color only 19c

59c Black Messaline—Fine, soft finish, guaranteed pure silk, beautifully lustered, extra heavy quality, 36 inches wide 39c

$1.50 Satin Duchesse—36 inches wide, rich, lustrous, draping quality 98c

59c Black Taffeta—36 inches wide, soft guaranteed quality, pure silk, deep lustre 39c

WOMEN'S NECKWEAR

(First Floor—Winter Street Side)

35c and 50c Collar Sets—Embroidered and lace, in a variety of patterns 25c

25c Neckwear—Stocks and collar sets, tabbets, wasteline bows and side frills 12½c

50c and 75c Stocks—Embroidered, lace and fancy 39c

$1.00 Linen Coat Sets—Embroidered, lace trimmed 69c

$1.00 Checked Suiting—Shepherd checked in black and white, heavy serge, all wool, 54 inches wide 69c

$1.00 to $1.50 Fancy Wool Suiting—Fancy mixed effects, in a variety of patterns, 54 inches wide 98c

$5.00 Mermabout Muffs—Of black and white mixed fancy satin lining, fancy pattern 3.50

$2.50 Marcrme Stock Collars—Of fancy patterns 1.98

25c Ribbon Roses—Hand-made, colors 18c

MILLINERY

(Second Floor Annex)

Misses' Trimmed Felt Hats 25c
Misses' 1.98 Velvet Hats 98c
Children's 1.50 Trimmed Hats 49c
Misses' 3.98 Velvet Hats 1.98
Women's 1.50 Black Felt Hats 98c
Women's 1.39 Hats, etc. 25c
Women's 1.98 Hats 49c
Women's 1.98 Fur Hats 1.19
Old Australia Velour Hats 1.49
1.00 Feather Bands 32c
1.50 Feather Bands 49c
50c Fancy Wings 12½c
Odd Lots Fancy Feathers 98c

BOYS' CLOTHING

(Fourth Floor—Washington St. Side)

Boys' 4.00 Overcoats—In fancy stripe effects, in Scotch, Irish, Oxford and Cheviot mixtures, in long cut sizes 2.98

Boys' $5.00 Overcoats—In sizes 2½ to 9 in Reefer style, or in broken sizes 9 to 15, in fancy cheviot mixtures, in a variety of different shades of gray, good wool lining 3.49

Boys' $5.00 Suits—In ages 3 to 17, fancy cheviots, neat and dressy 3.49

Boys' $8.50 Overcoats—Ages 3 to 10, Reefer style, in fancy cheviots and Oxford, in a few fancy mixtures. Some have velvet collar 4.29

Boys' $10.00 Overcoats—In all desirable materials, all wool, Scotch, Melton and Oxford, in sizes 3 to 10 years, and sizes 9 to 16 ..... 5.49

BOYS' FURNISHINGS

(Fourth Floor—Washington St. Side)

Boys' 50c and 75c Toques—And Polo Caps, in fancy colors 25c

Boys' 50c Shirts—In fancy stripe effects, in soft collars, sizes 12½ and 14 only 25c

Boys' 50c Shirts—In fancy stripe effects, in soft collars, sizes 12 to 14 ..... 39c

Boys' $1.00 Sweaters—In gray and navy blue, all wool 49c

Boys' $3.00 Sweaters—In sizes 30 to 34 only, fancy trimmings, all wool 1.89

Boys' Dressing Jackets—Made of quality flannel, some are pink, blue, gray and white 37c

50c Dressing Jackets—Made of quality flannel, some are pink, blue, gray and white 39c

$1.50 House Dresses—Perfect fitting, well made and perfect cutting, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 79c

$2.50 Kimonos—Wool flannel, in handsome designs and novelty stripe effects, assorted colors, light and dark, sizes 34 to 44 ..... 1.79

Men's Bath Robes

(Fourth Floor—Washington St. Side)

$5.00 Bath Robes—In fancy colorings in all the new shades of gray, also in fancy blue effects, cut full and long, sizes 36 to 46 ..... 3.98

$6.50 Bath Robes—In fancy wool mixed cloths, in the new shades of gray, also in the leading shades of blue 4.98

VELVETS

(Second Floor—Washington St. Side)

$2.00 Corduroy—22 inches wide, beautiful heavy quality, in all the new shades of green, olive and brown $1.19

$1.50 Velvet Corduroy—27 inches wide, heavy, rich, lustrous bright pile finish, in all the new shades of green, olive and brown 98c

$1.00 Velvet Corduroy—27 inches wide, heavy, rich, lustrous bright pile finish, in all the new shades of green, olive and white 69c

50c and 75c Velvets, Remnants—In soft finish, in a variety of colors 39c

$1.00 to $1.50 Velvet Remnants—In velvets and Cotteline Velvets, 24 and 36 inches wide, in a variety of colors 49c

Women's Knit Underwear

(Third Floor—Washington St. Side)

$1.00 Union Suits—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, both neck and long sleeves, ankle length, also knee length drawers 69c

Women's $1.00 Union Suits—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, both neck and long sleeves, ankle length, also knee length drawers 69c

Women's 50c Union Suits—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, both neck and long sleeves, ankle length, also knee length drawers 39c

50c Union Suits—Jersey ribbed, fine white yarn, low neck, sleeveless and knee length 39c

50c Vests—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, low neck, sleeveless and knee length 39c

25c Vests—Jersey ribbed, fine white yarn, low neck, sleeveless, fine ingrain elastic yarn, all regular sizes, 34 to 44 ..... 19c

25c Jersey Pants—Knee length, fine white yarn, all regular sizes 17c

Boys' 50c Union Underwear—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, medium weight, all sizes, 24 to 34 ..... 39c

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

$1.00 Negligee Shirts—Striped and figured, soft cuffs, attached or detached 69c

$1.25 Flannelette Pajamas—Fine quality, in pink and blue stripes 89c

$1.00 Flannelette Night Robes—Fine quality, in pink and blue stripes 69c

$1.00 Jersey Union Suits—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, both neck and long sleeves, ankle length, also knee length drawers 69c

50c Ribbed Undershirts—Fine white yarn, long sleeve shirts and drawers to match 39c

50c Shirts and Drawers—Fine ribbed, fine white yarn, all sizes 37c

25c Cashmere Hose—Soft worsted yarn, in black, white and tan 17c

25c Silk Lisle Hose—Imported, in black only 17c

75c and $1.00 Dress Shirts—In fine quality percale, in neat patterns, double wrist cuffs, attached or detached, also negligee shirts, in fancy stripe effects, also plain white, with neck bands, cuffs attached or detached, sizes 14½, 15, 15½, 16, 16½, 17 and 17½ 25c

STATIONERY

(Hamilton Place Annex)

10c Writing Paper—Fine fabric thread finish, boxed in sheets to correspond 5c

10c Envelopes—To correspond to above 5c

35c Card Album—Cloth bound, holds 200 cards 19c

15c Correspondence Cards—Extra fine quality 10c

$1.50 Fountain Pocket Pens—14-kt. gold nibs 49c

Pyrography and Brass Goods

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

25c Panels—3 pr. new designs 12c

25c Brass Ornaments—Assorted sizes, with brass stitches 5c

25c to 50c Metal Anilcks—The season's latest fad ..... 13c to 75c

Traveling Bags and Suit Cases.

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

$6.00 to $8.00 Traveling Bags—Seal grain, walrus grain and pin seal grain, in the new Empire style in 3 sizes $4.98

$3.50 Suit Cases—Fibre matting, 3 sizes $1.35

JEWELRY

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

$2.98 Mesh Bags—Genuine German silver mesh bags, in fancy trimmings $2.49

$1.98 to $2.50 Bags—Fine scale with 14-kt. gold plate trimmings 1.19

25c Hair Pins—Hand finish, 2 dozen in box 12c

$7.98 Watches—Ladies' and women's, 7-jewel nickel and American 4.98

$1.98 Rosaries—Imported hand-tied beads, with silver cross 98c

25c Pins—Collar and belt pins 7c

10c Tea Spoons—Silver plated 7c

6 for 25c.

TOILET GOODS

(First Floor—Washington St. Side)

15c Tooth Brushes—All bristle, bone handles 10c

15c Mennen's Soap—Witch hazel, de Violette Powder, Borated Talcum 10c

15c Tantile Soap—Green or white 10c

50c Fairy Foot Soap—Sponges, 25c

50c Rubber Gloves—Seamless 29c

Hair Brushes—All bristle 39c

50c Talcum Powder—Assorted odors 19c

Toilet Papers—5000 sheets 25c

Corylopsis Talcum Powder 5c

SMALLWARES

(Hamilton Place Annex)

1c Snap Fasteners—Assorted sizes 1c

10c Collar Supporters—Slip on style 5c

10c Dress Shields—Fine quality, all sizes 5c

17c Cuba Shields—Fine quality, all sizes 10c

25c Corset Supporters—Velvet grip 15c

50c Binding Ribbon—All silk taffeta, in black and white 25c

25c Belting—Fancy grain mercerized, black and white 15c

10c Blue Tape—Full 12 yard pieces, 2½ yards 5c

LININGS

(Second Floor—Washington St. Side)

79c and $1.00 Satins—36 inches wide, in all the new shades, also black, in fine quality 49c

$1.00 Black Messaline—36 inches wide, heavy soft lustrous quality 69c

$1.00 Black Taffeta—27 inches wide, guaranteed pure silk, soft finish 69c

$1.00 Black Taffeta—36 inches wide, guaranteed pure silk, soft finish 69c

98c Taffeta Silk—Guaranteed pure silk, in fine quality for petticoats, etc., black only 69c

$1.00 English Venetian—Black and all the wanted colors, 36 inches wide 69c

69c Satins—One yard wide, black and all the wanted colors 49c

39c Satteens—Fine quality, 36 inches wide, in black, white and colors, fully guaranteed 27c

25c Satteens—Fine quality, 36 inches wide, in black, white and colors 19c

25c Silk Finish, Black, white and colors 19c

HANDKERCHIEFS

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

Women's 6 for 75c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, initialed, embroidered corner 12½c

Women's 25c and 37½c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, initialed, embroidered and scalloped edges 19c

Women's 50c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, initialed, embroidered corner 39c

Women's 5 for 25c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, initialed, embroidered corner 5c

Men's 17c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen, hemstitched 12½c

Men's 10c Handkerchiefs—Pure linen 7c

Leather Goods and Belts

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

$1.50 Hand Bag—Good quality, seal grain, with big coin purse 98c

$2.00 Hand Bag—Small leather, lined with coin and card purse 1.49

$3.00 Hand Bag—Small leather, lined with coin and card purse 1.98

$1.67 Traveling Bags—Small leather, lined with coin and card purse 1.19

25c Elastic Belts—Fancy colors, hand painted 19c

BUTTONS

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

50c and 85c Coat Buttons—Fancy 39c

25c and 50c Dress Buttons—Fancy dress buttons 19c

WOMEN'S SHOES

(Hamilton Place Annex)

Women's $3.00 and $4.00 Shoes—Gun metal calfskin, button, new English style $2.85

Women's $3.50 and $4.00 Boots—Gun metal calfskin, button 2.85

Women's $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes—Gun metal calfskin, button, new English style, also patent colt boots; also velvet for evening wear, in button or lace 2.85

Women's $2.50 or $3.00 Pumps—Patent colt, gun metal calf, vici kid, in button or lace, also velvet for evening wear 2.49

Women's $2.00 Satin Party Pumps—Handsome satin pumps, in white, black, cardinal and navy, also velvet for evening wear 1.55

Women's 50c Rubbers—Cut to fit, easy to pull on, sizes 3 to 8, military or Cuban heels 39c

Women's $2.00 to $3.50 Boots and Oxfords—Gun metal calf, vici kid, button or lace, also velvet for evening wear, in all the latest styles 1.98

Women's $1.50 and $2.00 Slippers—In all the latest button and lace, patent colt, gun metal calf, vici kid and velvet, also in Juliets 1.49

Women's $2.50 or $3.00 Pumps—Patent colt, gun metal calf, vici kid, in button or lace, also velvet for evening wear 1.98

Women's $2.00 Satin Party Pumps—Handsome satin pumps, in white, black, cardinal and navy, also velvet for evening wear 1.55

Women's 50c Rubbers—Cut to fit, easy to pull on, sizes 3 to 8, military or Cuban heels 39c

Women's $2.00 to $3.50 Boots and Oxfords—Gun metal calf, vici kid, button or lace, also velvet for evening wear, in all the latest styles 1.98

Women's $1.50 and $2.00 Slippers—In all the latest button and lace, patent colt, gun metal calf, vici kid and velvet, also in Juliets 1.49

75c to $1.50 Slippers—For the house, in all the latest styles, also bedroom slippers, in a variety of styles 48c

CHILDREN'S SHOES

(Hamilton Place Annex)

Children's $1.00 to $3.00 Shoes—Gun metal calf, vici kid, button or lace, also broken lots of patent colt, gun metal calf and velvet, in sizes 2½ to 8, in the lot ..... 85c and $1.79

Children's $1.00 to $1.25 Buttoning Leggins—Wool lined, brown canvas, also black kid, in sizes 2 to 8 ..... 79c

Boys' 60c Heavy Rubbers—Cut to fit, easy to pull on, sizes 9 to 13, perfect fitting soles 41c

STAMPED GOODS

(Hamilton Place Annex)

39c Pillow Cases—Stamped, scallop and hem 25c

50c Corset Covers—Stamped on Nainsook 25c

75c Chemise—Stamped on Nainsook 49c

$1.00 Skirts—Stamped on Nainsook, embroidered ready to work, scallop and edge 69c

$1.00 Chemise—Stamped on Nainsook, embroidered ready to work, scallop and edge 69c

$1.00 Bureau Scarfs—Stamped and tinted in floral and conventional designs 69c

$1.00 Doilies—Stamped, 27 inches square, in floral and conventional designs 69c

$1.00 Table Covers—Stamped, 54 inches square, in floral and conventional designs 69c

$1.00 Bureau Scarfs—Stamped, 18x54 inches, in floral and conventional designs 69c

$1.00 Table Covers—Stamped, 54 inches square, in floral and conventional designs 69c

$1.00 Table Covers—72-inch Round Scalloped 69c

$1.50 Table Covers—54-inch Round Scalloped $1.39

Waists and Sweaters

(Third Floor—Washington St. Side)

Women's $1.50 Shirts—Tailor-made, white and colors, in neat stripe effects, also plain white, French roll collar 98c

Peter Pan Waists—Made of soft finish percale, in neat stripe effects, also plain white 35c

Women's 50c Waists—Made of soft finish percale, in neat stripe effects, also plain white 39c

$1.00 Lace Waists—Odd lot of white lace waists, in a variety of styles, sizes 34 to 42 ..... 69c

$2.98 Velour Waists—Made of fine quality velour, in all the wanted colors, sizes 34 to 42 ..... 1.98

$2.50 Lingerie Waists—White, made of fine sheer muslin material, button back, with lace and Hamburg insertion, sizes 34 to 42 ..... 1.98

$1.50 Lingerie Waists—White, made of fine sheer muslin material, button back, with lace and Hamburg insertion, sizes 34 to 42 ..... 1.49

$1.00 Lingerie Waists—White, made of fine sheer muslin material, button back, with lace and Hamburg insertion, sizes 34 to 42 ..... 87c

49c Worsted Yarns—All the wanted colors, for knitting 37c

98c Golf Vests—Made of fine quality worsted, in all the wanted colors, sizes 34 to 42 ..... 67c

$3.00 Sweaters—Made of fine quality worsted, in all the wanted colors, sizes 34 to 42 .....

LEGISLATURE IS FOR GRAND TRUNK

Poll of Both Branches Show Practically No Opposition to Extension Project.

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Rules in usual sonsty voting into yesterday afternoon to report in favor of suspending the rules whereby a petition for the incorporation of a railroad which has not been advertised for three successive weeks before being presented to the Legislature must go over for another year, is typical of the feeling which is general with regard to the Grand Trunk matter.

The report of the committee will be filed in the House of Representatives immediately after that body convenes this afternoon. After the report has been received, the question will come on the suspension of the rules.

If the rules are suspended, and there is every reason to believe that they will be by a unanimous vote, the petition will then go over to the Senate for concurrence in the suspension.

In that body the petition will be among just as enthusiastic friends as it has in the House. President Greenwood of the Senate is strongly in favor of the admittance of the Grand Trunk into Boston.

Senator Charles H. Brown of Medford, sponsor for the $10,000,000 bill for the development of the port of Boston, Senator George A. Schofield of Ipswich, minority leader of the Senate, Senator Charles V. Blanchard of Somerville, Senator Charles F. McCarthy of Marlboro, Senator Joseph P. Lomasney of Boston, and right through the whole list practically, stand ready to vote to admit the petition with as little delay as possible and at the same time safeguard all the rights of the people.

There seems to be no question but that the Senate will concur in the suspension of the rules.

All Want New Line.

The petition will go back from the Senate to the House and be referred to a regular legislative committee for public hearings and so forth. Upon being thus referred, the petition becomes a bill.

The committee to which the matter will be referred is the Committee on Railroads. After the House has thus referred the matter among one of those committees, Speaker Cushing will formally refer it to the Committee on Railroads.

Here is how the leaders in the Legislature voiced their sentiments to-day:

Speaker Cushing, chairman of the Rules Committee, said:

"I am unqualifiedly in favor of the entrance of the Grand Trunk Railroad into the port of Boston."

Representative Holmes of Kingston said: "I am strongly in favor of the Grand Trunk coming into Boston."

Representative Bothfeld of Newton said: "Put me down in favor of the Grand Trunk."

Representative Channing Cox of Ward 10, Boston, said:

"I am certainly in favor of bringing the Grand Trunk into Boston."

Representative Bliss of Malden said: "I stand in favor of the petition."

Representative Nathan A. Tufts of Waltham:

"I will vote for the Grand Trunk every time."

Representative Hawley of Malden said: "I believe that the entrance of the Grand Trunk into Boston will not only benefit the commercial development of Boston but will be of great help to all of the New England States."

All Approve Grand Trunk Coming.

Representative John F. Meaney of Blackstone:

"I am strongly for the coming of the Grand Trunk to Boston."

Representative Frank H. Pope of Leominster:

"I am thoroughly in favor of the Grand Trunk coming into Boston, and feel present transportation monopoly."

Representative Putnam of Westfield:

"I am in favor of letting the Grand Trunk come to Boston."

Levi H. Greenwood, president of the Massachusetts Senate:

"I am heartily in favor of the movement to bring the Grand Trunk to Boston."

Senator Charles H. Brown:

"By all means let the Grand Trunk enter Boston, and end the present transportation monopoly."

Senator Joseph P. Lomasney:

"I am in favor of any movement that will benefit Boston and New England. The entrance of the Grand Trunk system into Boston, in my opinion, is a benefit. Let it come."

Senator George A. Schofield:

"I stand for anything that will improve the metropolis of New England, and the coming of the Grand Trunk to Boston is a direct benefit."

Senator Charles V. McCarthy:

"A splendid movement toward the development of the port of Boston, and, in fact, a benefit to all New England."

Senator Charles V. Blanchard:

"The entrance of the Grand Trunk to Boston meets with my hearty approval."

Road Officials Here.

Vice-president Pitzhugh of the Grand Trunk was expected in Boston to-day to head the movement to secure an entry into Boston. Cy Warman of the Grand Trunk is at the Hotel Touraine. Asked if he expected any serious opposition in New Hampshire, Mr. Warman replied:

"We have not applied for our charter in New Hampshire. The Legislature does not meet until next Winter but there is other machinery which might be used for making the preliminary arrangements.

"I do not see how the people of New Hampshire could object. That State is not overrun with railroads. Moreover, most communities are willing to allow railroads to spend their money. That will be the first thing the Grand Trunk is to do—spend its money.

"I am delighted with the way the press, public officials, harbor commissioners and other business men who are quoted in the newspapers have received the announcement of our intentions of building into Boston. Nothing could be more gratifying than this."

At a meeting of the legislative committee of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, held at the headquarters at No. 15 Exchange street, yesterday, the following resolutions, addressed to the Massachusetts Legislature, were adopted:

"Whereas, it is understood that a bill that great commercial benefits would result from the entrance of the Grand Trunk Railway into the city of Boston, and

"Whereas, it is understood that a bill has been introduced for the consideration of your honorable body.

"Therefore, be it resolved, that it is the desire and request of the legislative committee of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange that your honorable body, in order to expedite the consideration of the above mentioned bill, should, as far as is possibly consistent with the proper consideration of the entire matter, lay aside all unnecessary preliminary procedure and enact such a statute as will enable the Grand Trunk Railway to obtain the desired entrance to the city of Boston with all proper terminal facilities.

"Respectfully submitted in behalf of the legislative committee of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange.

(Signed)

GEORGE F. WENTWORTH, Chairman,
CHARLES E. WALLACE, Secretary."

Committee Unanimous in Favor of Suspending Rules to Admit Petition.

These were the members of the committee who put themselves on record:

George F. Washburn, chairman; Edwin A. Bayley, Hon. J. Q. A. Brackett, Hon. Charles Bruce, Charles M. Conant, Joseph A. Conry, John B. Dore, Edward H. Eldridge, Arthur G. Ferdinand, Herbert S. Frost, Hon. William H. Gove, Harry B. Hammond, Donald M. Hill, Edward L. Hopkins, Charles H. Innes, William B. Lawrence, Cyrus C. Mayberry, Chester Newhall, Hon. Edward P. Shaw, Hon. Richard S. Spalding, Charles J. Judkins, Harry C. Long, J. Porter Russell, Charles S. Hexter, Elbridge R. Anderson, William Wells and F. O. Wodruff.

It becomes evident to-day that in the selection of a site for terminals for the Grand Trunk, East Boston would probably be the choice. East Boston is the proper site, according to the opinion of the authorities.

General Bancroft, chairman of the port directors, thinks that the best system is to enter Boston from the north, the most reasonable site for the terminals would be on the north side of the city, perhaps East Boston.

General Bancroft said that the representatives of the Grand Trunk had been told that the port directors favor of the road was built to the edge of the city the directors would do all in their power to see that it could get the waterfront.

Rear-Admiral Bowles, another member of the board of directors of the port of Boston, favors the Grand Trunk coming into Boston.

Thomas F. Morrow of the Chamber of Commerce, believes the site afforded by the flats of East Boston is ideal, and he pointed out that there is plenty of room just below the Cunard wharves for a great terminal.

"The coming of the Grand Trunk," said Mr. Morrow, "would provide Boston with a very important connection with the West and probably would mean that trans-Atlantic steamers should leave this port every two or three days instead of but once a month."

URGE LEGISLATURE TO HASTEN ACTION ON ROAD PETITION

The work of the AMERICAN in bringing the Grand Trunk to Boston is meeting with continued praise by scores of business men to-day. The general opinion is now that the Legislature must hasten action on the petition in order to make it possible for the Grand Trunk to get busy at once making the dirt fly on its roads into Boston. Following are some of the opinions:

William H. O'Brien, former State Representative:

If a small portion of the good things that are prophesied for Boston as a result of the work of the new port directors, and the building up of the docks and everything incidental thereto, is to come true, then we cannot have too many railroads coming into the city, especially trunk lines.

The coming of the Grand Trunk into the Boston territory ought to be hailed with delight by the business community and the shippers in general, and through them, of course, directly of the whole community.

It is a good fight, and the Boston AMERICAN is entitled to great credit, as it has been entitled to in the past, in many of the splendid things it has fought for along these lines.

William F. Stall, former president of the Faneuil Improvement Association:

We need railroad competition. If we get the Grand Trunk and we ought to do all we can to bring that great system here at once, it will be a mighty good thing for Boston and Massachusetts.

It is to be hoped the Legislature will get busy immediately. We don't have too much railroad competition in this State and city. I see in the Grand Trunk hope of a permanent railroad competition without a merger to put an end to it. As I understand it, the Canadian government has money invested in the Grand Trunk system.

It looks to me as if this is one railroad that will prove a live competitor of the New Haven system.

William H. Gleason, former president Germantown Citizens' Association:

The sentiment of the association is strongly in favor of the coming of the Grand Trunk to Boston. We have already voted in favor of the plan. Let us hope the Grand Trunk can start the work of building at once. I think the association will be among those who want the Legislature to take the matter up immediately.

William H. Thayer, president of the Faneuil Improvement Association:

Our association is interested in the coming of the Grand Trunk. We are glad to see steps being taken of this kind and the association is willing and anxious to do all in its power to help along with the other organizations affiliated with the United Improvement Association.

We are glad to welcome better conditions. The Grand Trunk would put more life into the other railroads and further would offer another outlet for our commercial interests.

James C. Clark, former president of the Harvard Improvement Association, Chester:

The association endorsed the welcome to the Grand Trunk. Sentiment in the association is entirely in favor of the coming of the Grand Trunk system to Boston. Boston is to get the benefit and we will have railroad competition. Hasten the day when there won't be any railroad monopoly in Massachusetts and New England!

Let us now have speedy consideration of the Grand Trunk's petition. The Legislature should take this matter up at once and discuss it.

John J. Corrigan, former president East Boston Improvement Association:

The news sounds too good almost to be true. Hooray, I say, for East Boston and Boston, and for New England known. We want the Grand Trunk to come here. Everything over this way favors it.

My only anxiety now is that there may be some hitch. The Legislature is all powerful and should get on the matter at once, and see to it that we get railroad competition. We need it badly enough, goodness knows, and I have no doubt the association will take the matter in hand for discussion. We are unanimous for the Grand Trunk coming to Boston.

The AMERICAN is to be praised for its splendid work and Boston is thankful when the Grand Trunk does get into Boston.

George S. Webster, president of the East Boston Improvement Association:

Our organization is very favorable to the coming of the Grand Trunk. We shall probably have the matter up at our next meeting, and a vote will be taken as to urging the Legislature to take immediate action on the petition.

We have discussed the subject before and we are heartily united in favoring the Grand Trunk. Every effort should be made by the proper authorities to get the Grand Trunk, and at once.

PARKER CHARITABLE IRISH SOCIETY GUEST

"The system of jurisprudence in this State is the best which human intelligence has yet devised, and I believe it to be the safeguard of the Commonwealth," said Attorney-General Herbert Parker told the members of the Charitable Irish Society at their meeting at the City Club.

President Patrick O'Loughlin presided. The ladies' night at the society will be held at the Hotel Brunswick to-morrow.

HITCHCOCK PLAN "DEFI" TO TAFT

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Postmaster-General Hitchcock's recommendation that the Government take over the telegraph lines was made, not only without the President's permission, but in defiance of his instructions. This was admitted yesterday in an official statement from the White House, where something very like a state of panic prevails.

The smoldering resentment of the Postmaster-General against his Chief has flamed out into open revolt. Grave fear is felt in the White House that he is seeking to force the President to remove him in order that he may be free to take charge of Mr. Roosevelt's campaign for the nomination.

Were it not for this fear Hitchcock would be removed at once.

It is unprecedented and unheard of for a cabinet officer to frame policies that are completely at variance with those of the administration, and calmly submit them to the public without so much as a by-your-leave to the President.

Yet Mr. Taft has not made up his mind to remove Hitchcock. The Postmaster-General controls practically the whole Southern delegation to the National Convention. To turn him out now would give him the excuse he is apparently seeking to shift to the Roosevelt camp, and assured of Taft's chances for renomination in the gravest peril.

Officially, the administration is seeking to minimize the affair. But Mr. Taft and his advisers, including Attorney-General Wickersham, whom he called into council last night, are pale awake to its seriousness.

After a hasty consultation with Mr. Hilles, his campaign manager, and other of his political mentors, the President this afternoon gave out the following official statement which, while disclaiming any knowledge of his Cabinet officer's partnership, which he abominates, seeks to let Hitchcock—and himself—down as easily as possible.

"A recommendation by the Postmaster-General that it would be well for the government to buy the telegraph lines and incorporate them in the post office system appeared in an earlier annual report submitted by him to the President. After some discussion it was decided, at the suggestion of the President, to postpone reference to the matter to another year, and not to bring it forward then, because of the recommendation of many other important changes, including the postal savings bank, had been passed upon by congress. If adopted, would take up all the energy of the post office department in making the necessary changes.

"The Postmaster-General intended to bring this matter to the attention of the President before the publication in advance of this part of his report. After having made preparation for publication, he was suddenly called out of town without having done so.

"His conclusion as to the wisdom of taking over the telegraph lines had been reached only after full investigation and consideration. As the report containing the recommendation has not yet been submitted to the President, it has not yet been considered by him or by the Cabinet with a view to presenting it to Congress as an Administration measure."

Although the statement was carefully worded, no reference was made to it in any amicable relations between the President and Hitchcock.

When this was pointed out, the President added verbally that the bond of sympathy between him and his Secretary was still unbroken.

Where Mr. Hitchcock was seen later in the day he refused to talk.

FIND ANSWERS IN NEW ATLAS

How many mules are there in the world—animal, not human?

How many horses are there? How many horses in the United States and how many in the island of Java?

How many horses, mules, cattle, sheep, swine in the United States and in other countries?

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FATHER OF SHEVLIN, YALE STAR, IS DEAD

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 16.—Thomas H. Shevlin, capitalist and lumberman, and father of Tom Shevlin, the former Yale football star, died of uremic poisoning to-day in Pasadena, Cal., according to information received here. Mr. Shevlin was born January 1, 1832, in Albany, N. Y. He removed to Chicago in 1870, later going into the lumber business at Muskegon, Mich. He removed to Minneapolis in 1886.

TRAVELER IS FINED $500 FOR CONTEMPT

The Boston Traveler was fined $500 for contempt of court by Judge Sanderson in the Superior Criminal Court yesterday, for printing an untrue story on January 5 to the effect that Clarence V. T. Richeson, charged with murdering Avis Linnell, was violently and hopelessly insane in his cell in the Charles Street Jail. The article was published a few days before Richeson confessed to murder.

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OF late years our "Sale" beginnings just after Christmas has grown to such size that we have neither enough experienced sales people nor sufficient room to include all departments at that time. We therefore reserve certain departments for a special sale in the middle of January.

The Catalogues cover especially china and glassware, Art Embroideries, Fancy linens, and also a final cleanup of umbrellas, tourists' goods, hand bags, household linens, French underwear, blankets, negligees and silk petticoats, handkerchiefs, neckwear, millinery, toys.

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So screw up your courage to the necessary point, flidgys. When the bashful young man who has been paying you attention calls again just take him aside and whisper into his ear the word that has been trembling for so long on his lips. He'll be glad to accept.

Remember, the first couple who come to the AMERICAN office and tell the Leap Year Editor they were married as the result of the girl's proposal, exhibiting their marriage license as proof, will be handed twenty-five dollars. The twenty-five will go a long way towards furnishing the flat or paying part of the honeymoon bills.

If you don't know just how to go about it—and few girls do—here's a little suggestion. On these frosty nights suggest to your young man that popping corn over the log fire would be great sport.

With the corn popping briskly to stimulate your courage, you will find it easy to pop the dreaded question.

And perhaps it may save you the trouble. The inspiration of the corn popping may inspire him to "pop" while the popping is good.

Remember, girls, that faint heart ne'er won fair hubby.

TO AID FISHERMEN IMPRISONED IN ICE

GLOUCESTER, Jan. 16.—Captains Joseph Boma and Reubin Cameron, skilful skippers from here, left for Portland to join the revenue cutter Androscoggin which started north early to-day to the assistance of the twenty-five American vessels entrapped in the ice on the west coast of Newfoundland, in the Bay of Islands and Bonne Bay. They will aid the captain of the cutter in breaking out a lane through the ice through which the imprisoned vessels may escape.

35 FEET OF SNOW IN NEWFOUNDLAND

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 16.—Reports have reached here of a blizzard in Newfoundland which is said to be the worst that the colony has ever known. In some districts the snow is said to be thirty-five feet deep. All traffic is at a standstill and telegraph systems are demoralized.

Three Women Upon Whom Eyes of the Nation Are Often Fixed

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From left to right, the Rev. Susanna Harris, famous woman preacher of Chicago; Mrs. Helen Lockwood, the lawyer of Washington who secured passage by Congress of bill giving women employes of the government equal pay for equal work, and Dr. Mary Walker, the famous woman suffragist, who has worn male attire since the Civil War. A special act of Congress was passed to allow her to wear trousers. Photograph copyrighted by G. V. Buck, from Underwood & Underwood, New York.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Dr. Mary Walker, the woman suffragist, who wears trousers by a special act of Congress, is wearing two overcoats during the present cold spell. The noted feminine physician, who forms with the Rev. Susanna Harris of Chicago, clergyman, and Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood of this city, attorney, the most famous trio of professional women in the land, is spending a few days in Washington, renewing acquaintances she made when she first practised medicine here.

Dr. Walker wears men's clothes and wears them with much more grace and style than the average man. She has worn male attire since the civil war, trousers being allowed her, by special Congressional dispensation, in place of skirts.

The doctor called on president Taft and others high in official life. Her clothing was concealed under a long fur cape. While calling on Secretary Fisher of the interior she threw back her cape, disclosing a heavy overcoat. Wearing two overcoats was nothing to a woman who has sported trousers for nearly a half-century.

Dr. Walker asked Speaker Clark if she could address a body of friends from the Speaker's dais in the House, after the House adjourned. The Speaker denied her request. He refuses to let any woman occupy his rostrum, even though she wears trousers.

GERALDINE FARRAR'S DOG MAKES A DUET

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Geraldine Farrar and Boster, the fuzzy little white dog that is so well known to her friends, settled themselves in a big chair on the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House last night, prepared to repeat the success that had marked the second scene of the first act of "Le Donne Curiose." Miss Farrar has a recitative in the course of the gossiping of the women about the baffling secret of the club to which their men folks belong. As she sings it she cuddles Boster in her arms. Boster heretofore has shown huge delight in that. But last night he changed his attitude toward the Wolf-Ferrari opera. It is possible that Miss Farrar cuddled him more vigorously than had been her habit. At any rate she had barely come to the middle of her recitative when Boster made a duet of it. The range of his voice was amazing, even if it did lack timbre.

SEEK PATIENTS FOR PNEUMONIA CURE

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research is prepared to announce a serum cure for pneumonia. The reason the demonstrations of this new discovery have not been given to the medical profession and the public up to this time is that the hospitals of New York seem to be for some peculiar reason, reluctant to give patients to the Rockefeller Institute on whom to try serum. It is computed that there is income enough from the endowment to allow at least $1,000 to be spent for each case of pneumonia that is presented there.

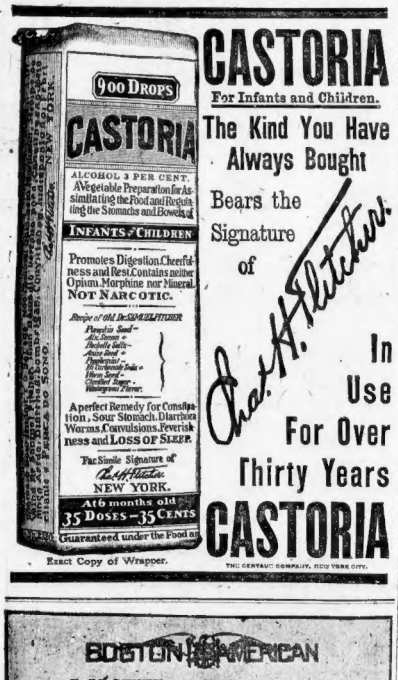
DOCTORS ARRANGE NEW PRICE LIST

The leading physicians of Malden have arranged a schedule of prices which means that the prices to be paid by patients will be $2, $3 and $4. Heretofore it has been $2 and $4. The schedule practically gives the better end of the terms to the physicians, as it includes a $3 visit, something which has not before occurred. The visit from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. will cost $2, the regular charge for a house visit. From 6 p. m. to 10 p. m. the charge will be $3, while from 10 p. m. till 8 a. m. the charge will be $4.

KING AND QUEEN WILL VISIT IRELAND

LONDONDERRY, Jan. 16.—It is stated reliably here that the King and Queen will visit Ireland in June. They first will visit Belfast and Londonderry, and afterward will tour round the western and southern coasts in the royal yacht, landing for visits at Galway, Cork, Queenstowne, Killarney and Waterford.

While in Londonderry they are expected to open Guildhall, which has been rebuilt. It was destroyed by fire three years ago.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TAYLOR AUTO CASE PUT OFF

The case of Paul F. Taylor, the young Worcester automobilist and son of millionaire Ransom F. Taylor, who is charged with manslaughter, was called for trial in the East Cambridge Superior Court to-day, but was indefinitely postponed because of the illness of one of the witnesses.

Taylor is accused of causing the deaths of Patrick Hollivan and Frank E. Dewan of Roxbury, on September 25 last, in a collision between his touring car and another auto near Marlboro.

Harry Nelson, chauffeur of the machine which was struck by Taylor's car, is ill with tonsilitis and neuralgia and was unable to appear in court. The case will not be called until he recovers.

Two additional charges made against young Taylor were that he drove his automobile recklessly and ran away without stopping after causing injury to persons and property.

STRIKE VIEWS BY DICK SEARS

Up-to-the-minute photographs of the Lawrence strike were among the features shown the members of the Brookline Lodge of Elks at a lecture given in their home by Richard W. Sears, the Boston AMERICAN photographer. The strike pictures, which showed scenes during the rioting at Lawrence, were taken but a few hours before the lecture began and their appearance was enthusiastically applauded by those in attendance.

"Dick" then continued his lecture, showing how a metropolitan newspaper is made. Slides were shown of the five on Pemberton Island, of famous baseball players at work, and pictures taken on trips to Labrador, Bermuda and the Cape Cod Canal, and many others. The lecture concluded with pictures taken from an airship in flight 700 feet in the air.

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Balance Sheet, January 1, 1912

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Real Estate	$ 10,616,711.90	Policy Reserve	$566,919,308.00
Loans on Mortgages	116,298,323.50	Other Policy Liabilities	7,359,006.83
Loans on Policies	113,516,068.47	Premiums and Interest prepaid	3,385,535.50
Bonds (market value Dec. 31, 1911)	421,122,821.04	Commissions, Salaries, Taxes, etc.	1,287,423.53
Cash	7,284,253.12	Dividends payable in 1912	11,690,143.32
Premiums in course of collection	7,724,930.65	Reserve for Deferred Dividends	83,064,153.00
Interest and rents due and accrued	8,121,577.82	Reserves for other purposes	10,979,116.32
Total	$684,684,686.50	Total	$684,684,686.50

TO THE POLICY-HOLDERS:

Within the year just closed the Insurance Department of New York has examined the Company. The examination went much deeper than the mere question of solvency and a correct statement of assets and liabilities. It went to questions of economy, efficiency and especially to the attitude of the Executive Officers toward the rights of policy-holders, the laws of the State and the regulations of the Department.

It would not be possible for me by any use of statistical tables, ratios or comparisons, to present a statement so luminous and convincing as that made by Honorable William H. Hotchkiss, Superintendent of Insurance, at the close of his examination.

It is the last word in State supervision—impartial but just—constructed on the sound theory that it is as much the duty of a public official to commend fine public service as it is to denounce wrong-doing or inefficiency. The muckraker will find nothing interesting in it. You will. It is, therefore, printed below in full.

Darwin P. Kingsley
President.

New York, Jan. 10, 1912.

(Copy of Memorandum filed at Albany, December 9, 1911, by Hon. Wm. H. Hotchkiss, Superintendent of Insurance)

State of New York—Insurance Department

(IN THE MATTER OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY) MEMORANDUM OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

It is thought proper to file with the report on the examination of the New York Life Insurance Company, dated November 21, 1911, the following memorandum:

The examination of this Company now completed, is the second since the enactment of the amendatory laws of 1906. It is even more complete and painstaking than was the examination of three years ago.

The New York Life is one of the great life insurance companies under the supervision of this department. As of December 31, 1910, such Company had assets approximating closely to $650,000,000, outstanding insurance exceeding $2,000,000,000, and an annual premium income of about $80,000,000. It disbursed to policy-holders in 1910 over $53,000,000. As of December 31 last, such Company held in reserve for its policy-holders—including deferred dividends—upwards of $600,000,000, and in contingency and special funds for the protection of policy-holders, nearly $18,000,000. **It does business generally in the United States and in 39 principal nations of the world.** It has approximately 996,000 policy-holders.

The mere recital of these figures indicates the magnitude of the task committed to the examiners, and gives emphasis to the fact that, after an examination covering seven months, such examiners concluded:

> ***"The final results of this examination show that the work of the Company is done efficiently and economically; its claims are paid promptly; its policy-holders are treated fairly; its dividends are apportioned and paid without discrimination; and the Company complies with the requirements of the law and the rulings of the supervising authorities in both the spirit and the letter."***

The above statement should not be taken, however, as indicating that this Company and its work were in no respect found the subject of criticism. The fact worthy of note is that the criticisms made by the examiners have to do with minor details and do not concern the management, the observance by such management of the law, the Company's treatment of policy-holders, or matters of Company policy generally. **Indeed, the criticisms set forth in the report are so relatively unimportant as to be in effect negligible.**

The impression made by the examiners' report was considerably strengthened by a personal inspection of the Home Office of this Company made by me shortly after such report was completed. Evidences of economy, both in the number of employees and in the space occupied, as well as in the use of labor-saving devices of various kinds, were noticed. The efficient organism of this great institution, centering as it does in its so-called "office committee," was everywhere evident. **An almost overscrupulous desire to comply with every statutory requirement or departmental regulation was also noted.** Indeed, for general Home Office efficiency, for watchfulness over the little things that go to increase a company's expense ratio, for accuracy of record and in accounting methods, and for a full observance of the law, **this Company is entitled, not merely to the commendation given it by the examiners, but to the official approval of this department here recorded.**

William H. Hotchkiss
Superintendent of Insurance.

Dated, Albany, December 9th, 1911.

FAMOUS REVERE HOUSE IN BOWDOIN SQUARE DESTROYED BY FIRE

DARING RESCUES OF WOMEN BY FIREMEN, POLICE AND SPECTATORS ON UPPER FLOOR.

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guests have been accounted for, and that there has been no loss of life."

"I was notified of the fire over the 'phone and arrived at 5 o'clock. The fire escapes and exits were all fully within the law. I have been informed that the fire started in the kitchen in the Bulfinch street side of the basement, and that it spread to the Grotto. The exact cause of the fire I have not yet been able to ascertain."

Will Rebuild at Once.

Captain Harrison said that he intended to begin rebuilding at once.

It is believed that a lighted cigarette dropped on the floor in the Grotto, a dining room, caused the fire.

James F. Smith, who registered from Waterville, Me., had a room on the top floor in the section of the building that was destroyed. He was reported missing by the police. A brother of the missing hotel guest searched for Smith for hours in the ruins and in the hotels in which gave shelter to those who were driven to the street. He reported that his search was unsuccessful, and that he feared his brother might have been burned to death.

A report spread that a young married couple from Lynn, guests at the hotel over night, could not be found. The police said they did not take any stock in the rumor. The firemen made a thorough search of the burned section of the hotel, but failed to find any bodies.

Impaled On a Fence.

John Kippenberger, of Engine 22, who was impaled on a fence after a fall of four stories, is reported dying at the Relief Station. He was born in Boston thirty-five years ago. He was formerly in the Protective Department, but on August 22, 1900, he was appointed to the Fire Department and assigned to Engine 28, which is stationed on Fort Hill. He was made a regular fireman December 15, 1901, and on June 22, 1901, was transferred to Engine 22, stationed on Warren avenue, to which company he still belongs.

Mr. Kippenberger is married and has three little children, and lives at No. 19 Gardner street, Roxbury.

Mrs. Kippenberger was prostrated at the news of her husband's injury.

Seven chambermaids were rescued from the top floor of the rear wing of the hotel, several of them being taken down the ladders by firemen.

"I was awakened by the smoke and noise, in my room on the top floor," said Miss Catherine Murphy, one of the maids. "I ran into the hallway and found Catherine Tolman, another chambermaid. We ran down three flights together, were forced back and had finally to go to a window to get air. We gradually worked our way to a fire escape.

"People in the street thinking I was going to jump shouted to me to stay where I was until the firemen reached me. I fainted just as I had made up my mind to take the step that carried down to the ground. I came to on the fire escape with Miss Tolman bending over me. The flames were then beginning to lick up the window frame and smoke poured from the windows. I could not see the street below. I fainted a second time, and they revived me in the street. I remember asking where Miss Tolman was when I was conscious again."

The two maids were taken to the Hotel Windsor.

Other chambermaids rescued by the firemen were Margaret Gallagher, Annie McBride and Catherine and Hannah Curley.

Miss May Wilson, aged 22, and an employe in the store room, was rescued from the fourth floor after fainting from fright. Carried down a ladder by the fire fighters, she did not regain consciousness until safe on the street in the arms of a fireman. She was later taken to the St. James Hotel clothed only in a night dress and a blanket.

"I was awakened by the smoke and the noise," she said. "I was on the point of jumping from the window when the firemen shouted to me.

Fainted Before Rescue.

"I don't know what happened after that, for I fainted, and the next thing I remember was being carried across the street on a fireman's shoulders.

"They carried me down a ladder, wrapped in a blanket, and I didn't save any of my clothing. But I'm too glad to be living to worry about clothes.

"I shall never forget the terrible fear that overpowered me when I saw the black smoke and the flames rushing from the lower windows, and realized that my escape was cut off. But I can't recall my rescue, for I was unconscious at that time."

Agnes Carlton, an actress, occupied a room on the fourth floor. Aroused by the cries she opened her door to face smoke that seemed impassable. She closed the door and raised the window to her room. Firemen working at the top of a ladder reaching only to the third floor yelled to Miss Carlton not to jump.

Woman Jumps to Fireman.

"All right, I'll let myself down from the window," said the plucky young woman.

As she climbed over the sill, a fireman stood erect at the top of the ladder, one floor directly beneath, and raised his arms. He caught the actress as she dropped and with the assistance of other firemen carried her to the street.

Ida Campbell, leading woman at Augustus Stone's Museum, one of those rescued from the third floor. She was carried to the street by the son of former Fire Chief Dunrell.

The young woman was cared for in the quarters of Engine 4 on Bulfinch street.

Among those rescued are:

Mr. and Mrs. William Monroe, Franklin, David Lane, Boston; J. J. Stewart, Wilmington, Del.; J. F. Tobin, traveling salesman, Portland; John Gibson, Lynn; Joseph Miller, Lynn; Carrie Freed, Haverhill; C. W. Mershelmer, salesman, Boston; E. E. Teague, Ellen Doherty, Bridget Doherty, Winnie Hurley, Mary Lasso, Victoria Roberts, Colonel R. B. Rankin, liquor salesman; Thomas Russell, H. E. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Mary Llewelyn, Joseph Clark, West Brookfield; Marie Smith, Charles Steinbaum, Everett L. Libby, Portland, Me.; Catherine Toland, Mrs. Mary Donahue, Mrs. Catherine Curley, Catherine Murphy, George White, E. J. Nelson, A. C. Brown, Timothy Cronin, Thomas Cronin, Martha Gallagher, Mary Donovan, May Fleming, Mary Walker, Agnes Carleton, J. B. Kneeland, Annie McBridges, Julia Wilson, Evelyn Brown, Maurice Smith, David Farmer, D. E. Gogun, Fitchburg; Ethel Curtis, Mr. Hoss, E. L. Smith, George Fletcher, Anselm Fitzpatrick, J. J. Loglan, J. W. Armstrong, Margaret Murphy, Mrs. George Clarke, Miss B. M. McDonald, Samuel Wentworth, Paul Smith, Edith Smith, Gertrude Holden Smith, Sadie Davis.

The management of the James Hotel, on the opposite side of Bowdoin Square, declined to-day for the second time to assist in sheltering and feeding the guests and employes from the Revere House. The Revere House was quickly converted into headquarters, not only for the frightened and scantily clad refugees from the burning hostelry, but for the firemen and newspaper men. R. J. Doyle, the proprietor, gave the chilled reporters the use of the private office, telephones and typewriter. He promptly placed all available rooms at the disposal of the men and women who escaped from the Revere House and threw open the big parlors and reception rooms.

Many Taken Down Ladders.

The building was equipped with two fire escapes, one circling about the light shaft separating the main hotel building from the rear wing, and the second on the Bowdoin street side.

A number of the guests escaped by means of these. Most of those in the hotel were unable to reach the windows opening on the fire escapes, because of the dense smoke that filled hallways and rooms. These guests were taken down stairs bodily by firemen or were removed from the extension ladders.

When Engine 22 arrived, a ladder was quickly raised to the windows of the fifth floor. In one room, Catherine Murphy, Catherine Toland, Mrs. Mary Donahue and Mrs. Catherine Curley were found, and with them were George White, a bell boy, and one two Cronans. The girls and women were helped down the ladders, the firemen restraining the women who were in a frenzy to reach the safety of the street.

Smoke and flames pouring from the windows of the Grotto and the lower floors, made the passage down the ladder a perilous one. Coughing and gasping from the fumes, the women were slowly helped to the ground, and it was while they were busy here that Fireman Kippenberger, in passing a woman down the ladder, lost his grip as he became stupefied and fell, to be impaled on the paling below.

Discovered at 1:30.

The scenes inside the hotel when the alarm of fire was spread defy description. It was about half-past one when the fire was discovered by David Noonan and Phillip McGonagle, a still alarm was followed by an alarm from Box 23 in Bowdoin square. District Chief Henry Fox was first on the scene with Chemical 1, and, breaking in into the kitchen, they discovered that the flames, starting there, had crept into the Grotto and were sweeping up the stairs through the building. McGonagle and Noonan notified Clerk William Farman, who at first seemed stupefied and in doubt of what to do. The three started at the task of rousing the guests.

When the first cry of "fire" rang through the halls, every room poured forth its inmates. Half-naked men, women in their night clothes rushed out and in a few seconds the lower hall was packed with struggling and fighting people, seeking escape to the street. Several fell in the crush and were trampled by the crowd and near suffocated. The fact that most of those seeking escape were barefooted is all that saved these from serious or perhaps fatal cuts.

Patrolmen Jonathan Murphy, William McDonald and Frank Merritt of the Joy Street station were on the scene a moment after the fire started. Twenty citizens joined in the work of arousing the guests and when a car came through the square, inbound from Cambridge, the conductor and motorman, with the half dozen passengers, joined in the work.

Scenes of heroism were enacted on every side. The hotel was full, and many of the guests slept so soundly that only the coming of the firemen or of some rescuer served to awaken them.

While the worst accidents and the possible fatalities are believed to have been on the fifth floor where the employees slept, here and there in rooms upon the lower floors persons were found by those who hurriedly searched the rooms, aroused them.

Mrs. Mary Howells slept on the fifth floor. She heard the cries of fire and got out of bed, but when she opened the door from her room into the hall, smoke and flames surged past and she sprang back and ran in terror about the room. The door and bed then left a little space, the smoke, creeping in, soon filled the room. Mrs. Howells succumbed, and when the firemen burst in a little later they found her unconscious from smoke on the floor.

Joseph Clark of West Brookfield was asleep in his room on the third floor. Awakened by the cries of "fire" that had been raised by those who entered the burning building, he slipped on his trousers and shoes and himself roused several people asleep on the second floor.

Franklin Couple Flee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Monroe of Franklin were asleep just over the Grotto. They had only registered at the hotel last night, and had a room on the second floor. They were awakened by the noise down stairs, and Mr. Monroe sprang to the door and opened it. Flames were coming up the stairs from the Grotto below, made the hall a furnace, and Monroe slammed the door shut and quickly got his wife out of bed. They cried to people in the hallways, but found them choked with fire. Their window overlooked Bulfinch street, and Monroe rushed to it and threw it open. He and his wife set up a cry for help.

Persons outside saw them, at first dimly, and then as flames began to work their way through the floor from the Grotto below, more plainly. The red mark in the room behind them, outlined the two figures. Mrs. Monroe went into a panic. Her husband restrained her by force from jumping from the window. The smoke pouring out from the burning room behind them obscured the two and wounds from the view of those below.

"Don't jump," a hundred people cried, from the street below, and Monroe hung on while flames burned behind him, till Ladder 8 arrived and raised a ladder to their window. They were taken down in safety.

Engine 7, Gognen of Fitchburg arrived in the hotel only twenty minutes before the fire started. After registering, he was assigned to a room on the second floor. With the first alarm, he opened his door to find a hall already impassable. The flames that had swept through the Grotto and up the kitchen's three hallways almost at once.

Gognen turned back to his window, and seeing no help near, jumped to the paved floor of the courtyard below. He suffered a bad sprain of his right foot, but was otherwise uninjured.

Rush from Fifth Floor.

Among those who were able to escape unaided from the fifth floor, where the fire spent itself, were Richard and Ellen Davenport, Mrs. Mary Sasse, Victoria Roberts, Arthur Gallagher, Annie M. Bridges, Mary Walker, Julia Wilson, Hannah Wilson and Thomas Russell.

Mrs. Ethel Curtis was in a room on the third floor. The smoke filtering into her room awakened her but she did not dare start down the stairs. Rescuers coming up a ladder in response to her cries, carried her to the street.

Evelyn Evans and Marie Smith, in the Western Ivory Theatrical Company, were in a room on the fifth floor. Their escape was cut off when they awoke, and Brenner carried them down the sixty-five foot ladder from the upper floors.

Augustine Delaney of No. 7 Ripley street, Malden, was passing the hotel soon after the fire started. Without hesitation he rushed into the burning building, and made his way with others to the third floor.

There the flames blocked them from further progress, but groping about in the rooms on that floor, Delaney found George Fletcher semi-conscious on the floor of his room. With a tremendous effort, for Fletcher is a big man, Delaney lifted him on his back and staggered down the stairs to the street.

Everett G. Libby of Portland, Me., who was in the Grotto when the fire started, awakened by the screams of guests. He left his room, fighting his way through the smoke downstairs in the direction of the ladies' entrance at the side of the hotel.

In the staircase he was joined by a fright-crazed group of women, and he followed him in the rush towards the street. The smoke was so dense that Libby had to grope his way down. He found the entrance door locked, he said, and all the guests behind him were trapped.

At this point a man on the street side, who said his name was Gilman, smashed in the door of the main bar, his right fist severing an artery. Gilman helped the guests to the street, and later went into the office of a physician in Cambridge to have his wound treated.

William Finnerty, a sailor from Omaha, Nebraska, was in Bowdoin square. His attention was attracted by the cries of "fire, fire." He ran into the main entrance of the hotel and up the first flight of stairs, where he encountered clouds of smoke. He bravely moved forward. His hands encountered the body of a man, who had been overcome by the smoke, before his eyes appeared a woman. He lifted the guest on his back and left the building as quickly as he could. The woman he revived in a nearby hotel.

Policeman Frank the Joy street station was among the heroes of the fire. Several of them helped in the flames, and others had their uniforms scorched or torn. Several of them were among the earliest to arrive on the scene and did excellent work in the emergency.

The policemen must have rescued at least a score of women alone from the upper stories. Miss Sadie Davis was carried from the third floor by two policemen who worked upstairs with wet handkerchiefs at their mouths and nostrils.

Miss D. McDonald, the housekeeper of the hotel, was in room 102 on the third floor. She was awakened by the cries that went through the corridors and made her way to the street.

One of the first rescuers was Michael Kelliher, the night clerk of the St. James, across the street in Bowdoin square. Kelliher himself helped in the rescue, making trips up stairs assisting guests to the street.

Mrs. L. T. Bowker, who was in room 120 on the third floor, left her room after she had been awakened by the shrieks of women on the floor above. The smoke by this time had poured up from the lower floors.

Mrs. Bowker was met by Dr. C. I. Rich who ran up from his room on the second floor.

The physician found the woman on her hands and knees and almost suffocated. He placed her on his back and carried the half unconscious Mrs. Bowker to the street. The woman was carried for in one of the nearby hotels.

Firemen in Hotel Rexford.

With the sounding of the first alarm scores of guests in the Hotel Rexford, adjoining the Revere House, became panic stricken. Fleeing from their rooms, clad in their night clothes, they fought to aid, looking for an avenue of escape.

The Rexford is a well known hostelry, patronized chiefly by members of the theatrical profession. All the rooms were filled. Scores of women guests rushed about the hallways of the hotel and from room to room. Many of them dragged their trunks and carried all their belongings to the halls. This nearly blocked the exits, and at the foot of the stairway on the second and fourth floors the shouting, hysterical men and women clad in pajamas and night robes, dashed about in the dimly lit halls seeking for an exit.

Policemen and firemen soon made an entrance. They laid some of the fear-stricken women in the street and assured all that there was little danger to the Rexford at that time.

Women in a Panic.

Some of the women dashed for the windows. In their fear they broke the panes of glass and started to jump. It is believed that at least a hundred lives were saved by the firemen when they prevented the shrieking women from dashing to the pavement fifty and sixty feet below.

Chief Mullen, assisted by District Chiefs Sennott, Fox and Ponte, directed the work of the firemen on the rescues. District Chief Sennott mounted a sixty-five-foot ladder and carried four women to the street. These rescued women, who had prepared to jump, were then carried through the slush and freezing water to the St. James Hotel in Bowdoin square, where they were wrapped in blankets and put to bed.

The clanging of additional apparatus as it arrived in answer to the following alarms ordered by Chief Mullen, blocked the narrow streets, and the lines of hose, laid in the street and on the sidewalks, made getting about exceedingly dangerous for the firemen and police.

For fifteen minutes a steady stream of thinly clad guests of the Rexford filed down the stairways and through the halls to the street.

Guests Return at Dawn.

After many of the women and men in the Rexford had been taken out, the women who had any valuables tried to push back to their rooms to save them. They were not allowed to return.

The clerk in the Rexford, told to get out by the firemen, gathered the hotel books and cashier hurriedly and threw them into the safe. This he locked up and made his way to the street. He then remained on duty at the door guiding the firemen on their way through the winding hallways to the roof of the hotel, where the firemen were hurrying to give battle from that point.

After every guest of the Rexford returned to their apartments, gathered their belongings that had been scattered about the halls and stairs, then collected in groups to talk over the excitement that had lasted through four hours of early morning.

The halls, stairs and some of the rooms were pretty well wet down by the pouring jets of water that issued from the hose that had been laid down by the firemen. The entire hotel reeked of smoke. Sleep was impossible. Telegrams by the score of assurance were hurriedly sent away to relatives and families of the guests telling their friends that they were safe.

GILMAN TELLS HOW HE SMASHED DOOR TO RESCUE GUEST

The rescue of Everett G. Libby of Portland, Me., who occupied room 42 on the second floor of the Revere House, was spectacular in the extreme. He made his way through the raging smoke, down a narrow stairway to a door, which he found locked. Was it stout enough to withstand a rush? Here is Gilman's own story of the affair:

"I had already carried four panic-stricken women down the stairs from the third floor and was standing on the sidewalk in front of the hotel to the right of the main entrance. I heard a man's voice behind me and turned around to see a giant form coming through the opening. It was so dark here that I could see nothing. The moans that I heard at first and that had attracted my attention had ceased.

"Groping about in the dark with my hands, I felt a body. I was pretty tired by this time and my hand ached terribly. It was bleeding too, but I did not know it at the time.

"I crawled through the opening that I had made in the door and dropped to the floor of the narrow hall and in the dark, I found the person whose moans had attracted my attention.

"It was a man. He appeared to be nearly gone. The place was filled with smoke. Gathering him in my arms, I lifted him to the aperture in the door and let him hang there face down. It was impossible to let him down to the ground on the outside for I did not have the strength to lower him gently.

"With a great deal of trouble I raised myself above his hanging body and jumped. Then I lifted him from the uncomfortable position in which I had placed him and carried him across Bowdoin square to the St. James Hotel.

"With the assistance of the hotel proprietor, we brought the man back to life. It was then that we learned that his name was Everett G. Libby, from Portland, Maine.

Among the names of the many who displayed heroism in rescuing those in the burning building, that of John Davis, an aged employe of the hotel, ranks first.

Davis is a bearded man, over eighty years old. He has been working in the hotel in half-a-dozen different capacities for longer than most of us can remember. He was in the hotel asleep in his room when the fire broke out.

When the crowd of rescuers swept to his door Davis thought it was a fire drill. He came what I mean, and uses a cane. Supported by this he led the rescuers along the corridors, where his familiarity with the old hostelry served him quite a good stead.

With him in the lead they found and awakened many sleeping people who must otherwise have perished. Davis was the foremost among the rescuers. The smoke that seemed so strangle and choke the others, did not seem to affect him. In the lead, he pounded on door after door with his cane, shouting the inmate to awake. He never left a door until sure that those within had heard the warning.

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COME ON ONE MORE JACKPOT A HALF A CORNER
MY IDEA OF SOMETHING TO FORGET IS A DATE WITH HER WIFE - GEE I MUST BE A HALF HOUR LATE AT THAT
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Abe Attell Most Wonderful Boxer in the Ring To-day

By JACK CONWAY.

Abe Attell, the greatest champion of them all, has completed training for his ten round bout with Knockout Brown, which takes place in New York Thursday night. The wonderful featherweight title holder is confident that he will defeat Dan Morgan's protege decisively, even though the big blond haired Dutchman will have an advantage of eight or ten pounds in weight.

There isn't a man in the ring to-day who has made such a great record as Attell. Johnson is without a peer in the heavyweight division; there is not a lightweight who is in the same class with Wolgast, but even these two veteran ring gladiators must doff their caps to the dapper featherweight champion.

Johnny Able is a Hebrew and has been fighting since 1900. Attell was born in San Francisco on February 22, 1884. He didn't come into this world with a silver spoon in his mouth, in fact he accumulated his share of worldly goods through the power of his fists, his great speed in the ring and his supply of gray matter.

Abe is a remarkable boxer. He has made the best men of his weight look like novices, while some of the leading lights of weight since have had all they could do to keep the Hebrew whirlwind at bay.

Accused of Picking "Lemons."

Attell has often been accused of picking "lemons." It is true that Abe has fought many bouts against third and fourth raters and has met her three times and elsewhere, but he could see them again. The featherweight champion cannot be entirely blamed for doing this. He has to eat, like the rest of us, and unless he gets plenty of boxing he cannot enjoy life as he would like to.

Attell can always be depended upon to meet the best featherweights and lightweights in the world. Only a few days ago Tommy Murphy, Battling Nelson, Eddie Hanlon, Jimmy Walsh, Pete Herman, Owen, Moran, Freddy Welsh, Jim Driscoll, Peter Kilne, Frankie Conley, Ad Wolgast, Matty Baldwin, Johnny Kilbane, Pal Moore, Frankie Conley and Matt Wells can be rated as "easy" boxers. And yet Attell fought all of these men, and not when they were in poor condition either. He fought Battling Nelson a fifteen-round draw at San Francisco in 1906. At the time the Dane was champion. He was in his prime.

The match between Attell and Brown is attracting a great deal of interest. If the little featherweight wins over the K. O. kid he will stand after matching with the rest of the lightweight brigade after he gets through with Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland at Vernon on Washington's Birthday, which will also be the birthday of the illustrious Abe.

Brown is one of the most awkward men in his weight in the ring. In fact, he owes a great deal of his success to his awkwardness. He fights with his right hand extended and it takes his opponent some time to get a line on him.

To Start for Coast.

Brown packs a terrific punch in his left mitt. But there have been many other boxers who were touted as murderous punchers, yet they couldn't touch Attell. The nearest they go to Abe was when the men were called to the centre of the ring before the bout in order to receive instructions and shake hands.

Attell will leave for the coast shortly after his bout with Brown. He is well aware of the fact that he will have to be in the best of condition if he is to defeat Kilbane, who is one of the most promising featherweights in the country.

Attell appears to get better with age. He is right at present. Wolgast declined. But just now the Napoleon of the featherweight class isn't bothering about Abe. Forest City favorite. His thoughts are centered on one Valentine Braun of New York.

Rhode Island fight "fans" should witness some good boxing at Tiverton to-night with Young Erne of Philadelphia and Tommy Furey of Attleboro as the headliners. The Quaker is picked to win. Erne has built up a great reputation in six round bouts in Philadelphia. He has defeated some of the best of them over the short route. Numbered among his victims is no less a personage than Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul youth who has been hooped as the rousing welterweight champion of the world. Erne is willing to meet the best welterweights in the world and what is of still more importance, he can make the lightweight limit of 133 pounds.

Matty Baldwin of Charlestown is in the best condition for his bout with Jack Redmond, which takes place at Youngstown, Ohio, Friday night. Redmond is a pretty good lightweight and Matty will have to extend himself if he hopes to get the decision. Redmond recently was defeated in a twenty-round bout by Battling Nelson at New Orleans. This will be the fifth skilled fight in which Baldwin has participated in this year. He fought a draw with Tommy Lane of Philadelphia on New Year's Day and gave Pal Moore all the fight he was looking for over in Gotham last week.

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JOHN KLING IN POOL TOURNEY

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16. — Johnny Kling, the new manager of the Boston Pilgrims, will probably be one of the contestants in the "pocket billiard" (pool) championship of the world which will be held in this city the first week in March.

The announcement that Sam Weiner had secured the tournament for this city was well received by the followers of the green table. The officials of the tournament as yet have not secured a suitable place in which to hold the contests, but it will in all probability be decided in Horticultural Hall.

In addition to Alfred De Oro, who will defend his title, Hesston Keough, Cyclorama Stoff, Sherman and Kling, as well as many other cue experts, are entered. But the city will be represented by a boy whose pool playing has been nothing short of marvelous. He has never sought notoriety, but through the pleadings of his friends has decided to be one of the entrants.

Johnny Kling, as all Boston fans probably know, is among the foremost pool kings of national reputation. It would not be surprising to see Kling one of those left after the elimination contests are held.

The pool tournament is the largest indertaking ever attempted in this city, and will mean much trouble and a big layout of money to its promoters.

PLAN STAR SHOW FOR THE LAKE SHORE A. A.

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BOSTON CURLERS WIN IN MONTREAL GAMES

MONTREAL, Jan. 16. — Eight curling clubs from the United States defeated eight Scottish clubs here by a total of 112 to 104 shots. The contest was very interesting. The scores were as follows:

SCOTLAND.		UNITED STATES.	
Captain's rink	12	Jersey City	11
Montreal	15	Boston	12
Renfrewshire	15	St. Bernard, Brooklyn	11
Montreal	15	Thistle	9
Glasgow	14	Granite, Boston	8
Montreal, Lothian rink	14	Mohawk	8
Montreal	10	Montreal, N. Y. C.	13
Montreal	10	St. Andrews, N. Y.	19

COLUMBIA DEFEATS DARTMOUTH 5 TO 4

Columbia carried off the honors in the hockey game with Dartmouth at the Arena, winning the game after a great uphill fight by the score of 5 to 4. The quality of hockey played by both teams was very poor, and the gallery was kept in an uproar by the exhibition of a hit-or-miss game of old-fashioned shinney into which the play of the teams developed.

Boxing Results

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Leach Cross earned the decision over Bert Keyes in a fast ten-round bout at the Olympic A. C. The East Sider had the better of all the rounds but the first and eighth.

PITTSFIELD, Jan. 16.—Tom Sawyer of Rockland, Me., beat Terry Martin of Philadelphia in a ten-round bout before the Pastime A. C. Sawyer jabbed Martin at will and the Philadelphian was unable to get in any of his well-directed blows.

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 16.—Fighting Dick Miller of this city was knocked out in the seventh round of the fight with Kid McDonald of Roslindale. A cry of foul went up as Miller went down in the seventh. In the preliminaries Sylvia knocked out Eyans of Fawtucket in the third round. Young Beaumont and Young Sherman and Young Cromwell and Young Masse of Fall River drew.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 16.—Any doubts regarding Jim Flick Klein's ability as a fighter were dispelled when the East Pittsburger fought his head off against Jimmy Hoey of Leola, a clever mid-dleweight, in a ten-round bout with the decision in favor of Klein. It was a grand fight, and the award was fair.

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Basketball Notes

Manager Dave Levine of the Newsboys' team wishes to inform the managers applying for games that the quintet has decided to change the name of the team and it will hereafter be known as the South End Newsboys. Some clever youngsters make up the team, including Abe Miller, Billy O'Donnell, Abe Taylor, Pete Powers, Joe Kelliher, Dan O'Connell and John Donnelly. The five have defeated several teams as the Marshall A. C. and intermediate Five, but the latter team with the 100-105-pound teams at home. Manager Levine, No. 377 Tremont street.

The Chelsea Intermediates, one of the fastest 130-pound teams in the State will take a trip to Lynn to-night and will be glad to play away from home with any team paying a reasonable guarantee. Company B second team of Fitchburg, Company K second of Hingham, and Clapp Memorial five of Weymouth preferred. A. Puchart, No. 59 Eden street, Chelsea.

The U. S. S. New Jersey team would like to hear from any team with a 140 pound teams. Games any night until January 29. Communications may be addressed, Manager J. M. Thomas, Navy Yard, Charlestown.

One of the most interesting games of the season at Foxboro will be held tomorrow night when the Wonalancet team meets the Foxboro second five. The former team has not lost a game this season and is confident that they can win from Foxboro. Manager Hickory has also arranged games for the Wonalancets with the Massasoit Boys' Club, St. Mary's of Foxboro and a Newport, R. I., club.

BOWLING LEAGUE MATCHES TONIGHT

MYSTIC VALLEY—Highland at Central.
CUSTOM HOUSE—Warehouse vs. Storekeepers, Appraisers vs. Inspectors, Naval Office vs. Inward Foreign at the New Boston.
BANK AND TRUST—Atlantic vs. Shawmut Camp, Beacon vs. American, Shawmut vs. Boylston, Federal vs. State Street at the New Boston.
MANCHESTER UNITY I. O. O. F.—Harvard vs. Jamaica at the Beacon Chambers.
MILTON—MATTAPAN — Two matches at the Taylor.
COLUMBUS CLUB—Flitou vs. Elm Hill at the Columbus.
MERCANTILE—Two matches at the Chauncy.
BAKERY—Two matches at the Murray & Irwin.
WHOLESALE DRUG — Five matches at the New Boston.
MALDEN CLUB—Two matches at the Auditorium.
CHELSEA TRADE—One match at the Chelsea Square.
STATIONERS—Three matches at the Adams Square.
UNITED SHOE—At the Brunswick.
ELITE—At the Elite.
YOUTH'S COMPANION—At the Oxford.
FRANKLIN LODGE A. O. U. W.—At the Everett Square.
R. H. WHITE CO.—At the Arcade.
POST OFFICE SUPERINTENDENTS—At the Old Colony.
ATHLETIC LEAGUE—Cadets vs. Fifth Regiment vs. B. A. Special at the Charlestown Armory.

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HIGHLAND IN FEATURE MATCH

What should prove to be one of the most exciting matches of the bowling season will be held in the Mystic Valley League tonight when Highland meets Central at the latter's alleys. It is expected that the match will be witnessed by a record crowd of "fans."

Particular interest is centred in the match for the fact that if Highland should take all four points it can jump from the sixth to the second position. The team is now tied with the Arlington Boat Club and Medford, with Towanda and Central but a few points ahead.

Although rolling away from home, Highland is confident of winning the match. The men realize what it means and will not lose a pin in their effort to take all four points. They are not talking, but it is sure that it will be returned the winner.

The next Boston alleys will be the mecca of hundreds of "fans," as the Custom House, Bank & Trust and Wholesale Drug Leagues roll there to-night.

The feature match of the evening in the Custom House League will be rolled between the Naval Office and Inward Foreign. The teams are separated by three points and the match is sure to be a close one. In order to replace Inward Foreign the Naval quintet must win all four points.

The Appraisers, which is now leading the league by a comfortable margin, should have very little trouble in taking a quartet of points from the inspectors, while Warehouse should experience little difficulty in beating the Storekeepers.

The B. A. Specials and Company A, Fifth Regiment teams meet in a special match at the Charlestown armory to-night. In the last meeting of the two teams they split even, after some of the best rolling ever seen at the Armory, and to-night's match is sure to be a close one.

Many of the rooters of the Company A team will come from out of town to watch the match. Murphy, Sullivan, Jacobs, Hume and Keaney will roll for the Specials, while Burdon, Williams, Meirer, Field and Chester Burton will represent the Armory.

CATHEDRAL QUINTET IN HARD CONTEST

The Cathedral Y. M. C. A. will meet the Father Mathews five in a Greater Boston Basketball League game to-night at the Immediate Five, Cambridge. The visiting team will go on the floor a strong favorite, although the home team is confident that it will serve the winner. The Father Mathews is anxious to get a win before the first semester closes, and will go after to-night's battle with a "do or die" spirit. The Cathedral five has a good chance to catch the St. Joseph leaders, and will make every basket count.

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MANY BOWLERS OUT FOR TITLE

"There is no doubt that the Boston AMERICAN Bowling Championship Contest will be the biggest success of anything that has ever occurred in the history of the game," was the opening remark made by Chester Carruth of the Carruth Alleys to the Bowling Editor of the AMERICAN, and he then related his reasons for so thinking, as follows:

"There has never been a true champion of the candlepin game that I know of. The plan of the AMERICAN comes the nearest to anything else than anything that has yet been developed.

"In seasons past it has been counted that the best bowler was the one getting the highest average in the City League, last year it was the Greater Boston City League. This was through the high man having to bowl so many strings during the season over different alleys.

Plan Is Fair to All.

"But the fault with this system was that there were only a good bowlers who didn't roll in the league. They may have been members of other leagues and capable of averaging over 100 for a string. Under the Boston AMERICAN plan all bowlers have an equal chance, and the one with rolling at one time must be credited with the title of champion.

"The matches between some of the cracks do not by any means prove they are the superior masters of the fine pin game. Because a man is willing to back himself for money against another is no criterion that he is any better bower than another who doesn't, which he can't afford, to bet a lot of money in a bowling contest. I have seen many times these big match games were not beneficial to the sport. The more we keep gambling out of bowling the better it is for the popular continuation of the game. In handling the matter as it has the AMERICAN has entirely eliminated the gambling spirit by making it a strict contest of merit, there being no entrances fee. All credit to the AMERICAN for having so arranged its details."

Judging from the wide interest displayed at my own alleys in the AMERICAN Bowling Champion Contest, there will be entries galore.

First to enter in the contest was John Crudden, the Central Franklin avenue bowler. He writes that on Friday evening, January 10, at 8 o'clock he will roll his five strings at the Sullivan Square Alleys. Mr. Crudden is looked upon as a bowler of ability has a reputation as a walker.

The Burns Jr., of the Chelsea Square Alleys, and Harvey Hintze of the Congress Alleys in Chelsea, sending their entries and that the bowlers in their district were fairly wild over the contest, and Monday night there was not a Boston AMERICAN to be bought in Chelsea square, the bowlers having grabbed all in sight.

C. H. ("Bob") Hartford, the prominent bowler at the Old Colony Alleys, is in line with his entry, while from New Hampshire comes the entry of Fred Hamilton, of Dover, inclosed in the following letter:

Bowling Editor, Boston AMERICAN:
Dear Sir—I think the AMERICAN proposition for the development of bowling, and the Championship Contest, is a great idea, which are conceded the best alleys in this city, am coming in in hopes of being fortunate enough to have your committee select my alleys. Will roll my five strings on Saturday, January 27, at 8 o'clock, or any other alleys here. Wishing you great success in the stability of the game.
Very respectfully, C. A. NEWTON.
Dover, N. H.

By the way owners and managers of bowling alleys throughout New England are requested to send their application for the preliminary round of five strings to be rolled all over the country. The three highest league bowlers will be picked in the district, and the winner's name will then be published in the AMERICAN this week. As well as the winners selected in the other cities in New England.

The amateur ranks comes a letter asking where the large grist of amateurs is to get off in this contest. While the AMERICAN agrees to give $100 in cash to the winner of the finals, yet every five pins over the $100 will be invested in the purchase of say prizes be any choice. By doing this, if the winner is an amateur, he can be certain of holding his standing free from professionalism.

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PIERCE AFTER RETURN BOUT WITH DELMONT

Young Pierce of Philadelphia is after a return match with Al Delmont, and his wishes should be complied with. Pierce and Delmont have met on two different occasions to date. The first battle took place at the Armory A. A. three years ago, and Pierce won the decision. The second meeting was at the American A. C. last Wednesday night, and Delmont and Pierce will be able to fight in two or three weeks. The cut in Pierce's forehead, which was caused by an accidental collision between Delmont and himself, will be O. K. by that time.

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CARRIGAN WILL SIGN CONTRACT

Bill Carrigan, the mainstay backstop of the Red Sox, who was a "hold-out" last year and who almost quit baseball because of a difference over salary with John I. Taylor, will be in the fold early this year. "Buck" O'Brien, the gilt-edged pitcher, came from Maine to-day with the Red Sox quartet, and said that Carrigan had received his contract for 1912 and was satisfied with it. He is expected to sign in a few days.

O'Brien and the rest of the quartet—Hugh Bradley, Martin McHale and Charley Lyons—have just finished a tour of Maine. In Lewiston they spent the most of their time with Carrigan. "Bill is doing a great cigar business there," said O'Brien to-day. "He made 188,000 cigars in a year and sold nearly all of them. We had some great 'fanning' bees with Carrigan and the cross-eyed backstop is satisfied with his contract and will sign."

We sang in Lewiston, Augusta and Waterville. It was from 10 to 35 degrees below zero the most of the time and we nearly froze to death. But we had a great time with the old timers down in Maine. They entertained us more than we did them.

"At Augusta we were in the rang at the Scotty Carney-Jimmy Flowers fight and we made a greater hit, I guess, than the fighters. That is, we had a great 'hand.' But we declined to sing.

"At Augusta Lodge of Elks we met Governor Plaisted, who gave us a corking good reception."

The Red Sox quartet is laying off this week. They will go to Providence next week and on Monday will play Pawtucket, Worcester and Pittsfield.

RED SOX RELEASE BALL TO DENVER

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—The following bulletin was issued by the American League to-day: Released—By St. Louis to Houston, Knapp and Foster; by Cleveland to St. Louis Nationals, Ten Million; by Washington to Rochester, Conroy and Gray; by New York to Oakland, H. Allen and E. Wilkinson; by New York to Rochester, W. Blair, O. Johnson, J. Martin and H. Klepfer; by Boston to Jersey City, Rosch; by Boston to Denver, Outfielder Ball. Contracts with Washington—J. W. Engel, Charles E. Becker, W. J. Cunningham, B. W. Ainsmith and Raymond Morgan.

SEVERINO VS. GAINES IN AMERICAN A. C. BOUT

The following list of boxing bouts to take place next Tuesday night at the American Athletic club has been announced: Pat Cohen of Cambridge vs. Isadore Dupsky of Somerville, four rounds at 125 lbs. Jon Farren of East Boston vs. Young Mitchell of South Boston, four rounds at 138 lbs. Eddie Keany of Cambridge vs. Frank Cole of Boston, four rounds at 125 lbs. Jack "Bimbo" Severino, the American amateur heavyweight champion, vs. ——, a Kennedy boy of this city, eight rounds at catchweights.

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The Fatal Gift of Beauty

By DOROTHY DIX

Is beauty an asset or a handicap to the woman who works?

A large and enthusiastic majority will reply that good looks are a satisfactory substitute for ability, talent, energy, industry and faithfulness in a woman for a girl, and that so long as she has nicely marcelled peroxided hair on the outside of her head it doesn't much matter what she's got inside of it.

In proof of this position on the polchritude question, they will point out that there are certain occupations, such as the stage, for instance, that are practically barred to all but pretty girls. Also that the clerks in department stores are recruited from the perch basket. Likewise that it cannot be a matter of chance that practically all stenographers and private secretaries are young and have straight front figures.

And, if additional evidence were needed to bolster up the assertion that a girl's best letter of recommendation when she goes to hunt a job is a peaches and cream complexion, these boosters for beauty will tell you that it is a common saying with business men that they like to have a pretty girl around the office to look at, just as they would like to have a pretty picture, or a dainty piece of bric-a-brac. It rests their eyes.

Furthermore, the advocates of beauty-in-the-office would ask you to explain why, if good looks aren't an asset in business as well as in society, it is that you so very, very seldom see even a middle-aged woman holding down a good job?

Recognition of Fact

Surely fat, grizzled women, or old, skinny ones, must have just as much need of earning money as young, slim ones, but the woman who has lost her looks and her figure would walk her feet off looking for a good situation before she found one. When you see such a woman in a business house she either owns it, or she has been there for so many years and shown such special aptitude for her work that she has made herself invaluable. She's never a newcomer.

Nor does this indicate that all employers are flirtations. Far from it. It is merely a tacit recognition of the fact that youth and beauty are the most enchanting things in the world, and what we all like to surround ourselves by when we can. It's just more inspiriting to have a fresh, pretty face smiling at us across a typewriter, or a lunch table, or a counter, than it is to look upon a tired, homely, old face, and that's why sweet-and-twenty gets the job.

It appears, however, that there is another side to this question, and that instead of good looks being a help in business to a girl there is such a thing as being so good-looking that it is a hindrance; and I am in receipt of a letter from a young lady who says that she is nineteen years old and so possessed of a cumbrous dance of the fatal gift of beauty that it is a regular hoodoo.

She writes: "I have been seeking a position for some time without any satisfactory results, because in every business office in which I apply for a position I am told that I am entirely too good-looking to have around. Will you please advise me what to do under the circumstances?"

Very Sad

Isn't this sad? Alas, poor girl, how my heart goes out to her, and how gladly I would relieve her of half, or three-quarters, or ALL of this burden of pulchritude that she finds stands in her way. Unfortunately, in the foolish way that nature runs things, this is impossible, and as this too beautiful creature can't divide up her surplus good looks with some of us who are short of 'em, the only thing left is to suggest to her to sort of hide her light under a bushel, as it were.

Perhaps she might dim her radiance, so that it would cease to dazzle mankind and be safe to have around an office if she would comb her hair in the present time-coming mode, which is guaranteed to turn a spotlight on a woman's profile and bring out every defect in it. Or she might leave her powder rag at home, and permit her nose to get red and shiny, or she might even go to the expense of wearing bunchy frocks that would make her look fat and frowsy. Instead of lissome and willowy, it's dead easy to knock 50 per cent off of your appearance with your clothes, and if this Venus will make a real sincere effort to disguise her too dazzling charms she need not despair of being gainfully employed.

But, is it not possible that my correspondent overvalues her good looks, and that the reason that she doesn't get a situation is not because she possesses the fatal gift of beauty, but because she possesses the still more fatal gift of vanity and conceit? Men can stand a lot of beauty and survive the shock, but what they will not stand for are the airs and graces of a pretty woman who is always pretending to be flattered, and who spends her time in business hours preening and primping and smirking at herself in every mirror that she passes.

Wastes Time on Looks

I recall once hearing a hard-headed old business man say of his stenographer: "Oh, yes, Miss A. is competent and a nice girl, but I've got to let her go because she's pretty and spends so much time fluffing up her hair and pulling up her collar and settling her belt just right that she's got no time for anything else. Every time I ask her to take a letter I feel that I'm interrupting a beauty at the sacred rites of her toilet."

And I know another stenographer who lost a place because she dressed too conspicuously. "Not good for business," explained her employer, "she is a good looker, but she gets herself up in a way to catch men's eyes, and that doesn't give an office an atmosphere that inspires confidence in customers."

For all of which it would appear that while beauty is an asset, it may also be a hindrance, unless the pretty girl has got sense enough to put the soft pedal on her looks, and to realize that while her youth and prettiness may help her to get a job, she's got to hold it by good work.

Things

When dictionaries reach that state of perfection when they will give the home definition of a word, in addition to its derivation, its synonyms, and its meaning and usage out in the world, there will appear this explanation after the word "Things:"

"A word in its home usage meaning old furniture, old clothes, old keepsakes, rummage; something of no value to any one but the owner."

A woman is left alone in the world; her husband is dead and the children are married and gone, and with a mistaken spirit of kindness they take her to their home and surround her with comforts and luxuries she never knew before. But she is restless and unhappy. She is homesick for her own "things." She wants to go back to the cupboard with knobs off the door, and with the dishes that always stick; she wants her own broken china, she wants her own old-fashioned teapot and three-legged table, and she wants them, not for their moneyed value, but because they are hers, and every association of many years is connected with them. She wants to go home with her own "things; old sun-faded pictures, worn-out carpet, rockers, tables, all that went to make up her home, all her own, and bearing to her the friendly look one sees in a familiar face.

They have been with her in many hours of loneliness, and, though inanimate, have filled a place in her heart once filled by husband and children and life. They constitute her home. To tie with her own things is all that is left to make a home for many a woman and for a time she succeeds.

When a mother dies and father marries again, the rebellion against a step-mother is based countless times on that worthy woman's ignorance of "mother's own things," which doesn't mean mother's diamonds or pearls, but mother's flatirons, mother's rolling-pin, mother's patchwork. "Mother's things" have been the cause of many a daughter going to war against her father; not always because of the tender associations that attach to them, but because of the fierce resentment toward the other woman.

The new and perfect dictionary will classify "Things" in the feminine gender, for if there is any tender association clinging to any old gown or hair brushes left by father that tends to a quarrel over their possession when mother's second husband uses them, experience has failed to record it. A man may behave so well that he inspires love and respect, but the love he awakens has none of that tender sentiment which would put a post-mortem halo around an old hat or shoe. Father's personal possessions are sold to an old clothes man. They do not become "things" to cause tears and quarrels.

Neither does it happen that when a man is left alone in the old home that his love for a familiar chair, or his stern zeal by a certain window, or the pictures on the wall will cause him to reject a more comfortable home with a married daughter.

A woman's sentiment often affects her personal comfort; a man's never.

In their present stage of development no dictionary gives the kind and feminine meaning of hundreds of words, among which is "things."

A GUESSING BEE

The artist and his young wife had just returned from their honeymoon, when a friend dropped in and found them laughing over something.

"Whatever are you two laughing over?" said the visitor.

"Oh, it was jolly," said the wife. "My husband painted and I cooked and then we both guessed what the things were meant for."

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The Corset, and Waist Exercises

By GABY DESLYS.

GABY DESLYS SAYS:

"I do not believe in tight corsets."

"I never wear them."

"Simple exercises will reduce your waist line."

"Stand up straight, with the hands on the hips."

I DON'T think that you, over here, consider a dainty waist as necessary to beauty as we do in France. That is probably because we seem to have smaller waists than you do, and are not so athletic.

I am told by people over here that athletics make the waist smaller. But there is a certain type of girl athlete who may be taking all the exercises in the world, but of one thing I am certain, her waist line is not getting smaller; on the contrary, her figure is very slouchy, and she would not, for the world, wear a tight corset, or indeed a corset of any kind. So she slouches around with an athletic figure which is anything but fashionable.

Bars Tight Corsets

Now I am sure that both dancing and swimming are excellent exercises for the figure, and are calculated to make the waist small. But tots of sports that girls go in for nowadays develop the muscles of the back so much and broaden the waist to such an extent that when the fashions return to more tight-fitting effects, we will all be astonished at the wide, broad waists which have been developed since the empire styles came in.

I do not believe in tight corsets myself, and I am thankful to say I have never needed to wear them. Dancing keeps me slight enough, and I have one or two exercises which I should use every day if I felt my waist line increasing or my waist growing side.

A simple exercise is to stand with hands clasped above the head, the arms stretched out. Bend the body as far as possible to one side, and then to the other. All the muscles of the upper part of the body and waist should be stretched, and you should feel that you are lifting your chest up very high. Another good exercise is done standing up straight with the hands on the hips; turn the body as far to the right as you can, feel as if you were twisting the muscles of the waist; now twist around to the other side, going just as far as you can. You should always bend forward and back and to the side.

Doing these exercises once or twice won't help you any, but if you continue them day after day, you ought certainly to find your waist line reduced, and I think you will be healthier and in better spirits.

After all is said and done, it is more the way one dresses than anything else which makes our waists look small or large. I am often astonished how little taste and good sense some women have in dressing themselves.

They seem to have plenty of money but they buy or order what they have been told other people, which is often totally unsuited to their own style. I have often noticed that gowns which were designed for me are usually copied by very stout women, while you will take some of our actresses who weigh 150 pounds or more and their frocks will be imitated for the debutantes.

Wear Wide Sashes

If you are slight you can wear broad waist lines, big belts or wide ribbon sashes. You can also indulge in the wide horizontal bands which run around anywhere but the fashionable dresses and coats.

But oh, dear me, if you are fat, don't do any of these things. Why is it that a fat woman will always wear a wide band of embroidery or trimming straight across the bust, or across the widest part of her back?

Sometimes she will even go as far as to put the band of trimming all the way round, crossing over both sleeves and making herself look as broad as a beam.

Another fashion she affects consists of the wide waist line, the broad sash belt or shiny patent leather band which draws her waist line under the thinnest effect of her waist.

The woman who is stout must remember that the V-shaped trimming for the bust, the very narrow belt, or better yet, no belt at all, and the long lines of trimming for the skirt, are her only salvation.

A wide waist can be disguised by having the belt show only for a few inches in front and back, while the sides can be of the same goods as the rest of the frock, but under no circumstances should the waistband be wide, especially not if one is short-waisted.

The overcorseted woman is apt to get discouraged about her figure, and settle down into her waist line. She does not have to do this, however, because she can make her waist look longer by dressing artistically and by a very erect carriage, constantly holding herself up.

An Electric Civilization

By EDGAR LUCIEN LARKIN

In the use of electricity, the number of methods, ways and works is by some legion, whatever that means. The use of the elusive entity—these words are used to obscure the notable fact of ignorance of what electricity is—is now extending and ramifying into all departments of human industry and daily life.

The fact that enormous power can be sent on thin wires is the great basic fact. And equally basic is the fact that weak power, but strong enough to convey intelligence, words, symbols, numbers and signals, can be transmitted by space-waves without wires. And the fact that electricity can appear as mechanical energy can cause conserve electricity, or appear as electricity, is the one prominent in all electrical machinery.

Now, press a switchkey and lift by means of magnetism a white hot steel ingot out of a furnace, that weighs tons. This is a standard advance in metal work. Men do not stand in the fierce heat of furnaces, with open doors, to handle ingots. Huge soft-iron masses are placed in contact for a moment with the hot mass. Current is turned through the wires around the soft iron; it is energized, becomes at once endowed with power and lifts out the heated bar, mass or ingot.

Ringing of detective bells, sounding of alarms and telltale buzzers are so complex in large business houses, banks, police controls, insurance registers and the like that crime, burglaries and fires are at once located. Burglars should ignore wired buildings.

Numbering and registering every detail and transaction may be said to be a complex science of itself. And disputes leading to lawsuits are saved by the unerring accuracy of the electric register.

Electricity in mining is now so great that it is a science all by itself. The uses of electricity underground are so many and of so varied character that they cannot be mentioned here.

Silver and gold plating, iridium and platinum manipulation, metallic flowers, pictures, electrical work in a hundred ways in the refined arts are also a grand department of electricity. Gold-plated roses are beautiful.

Motors on mountain peaks and within inaccessible places in the wilderness actuated by power sent up on wires from turbines in streams far below is a triumph.

If wireless ways increase as rapidly in the next ten years as within the last ten, the earth will be an electrical machine.

One of the most wonderful catalogues ever printed is the long alphabetical list of names of wireless stations on land and sea. Every ship with a plant has its own distinctive signal.

Twenty-five cents will buy a perfect time-warning watch regulator in a few years. It will be a mere index or needle pointing to numbers in the dial. The master clock in Washington will set many millions of watches from Cuba to Alaska at noon each day.

After a while each person will be numbered like autos. Carry the wireless plant in hat or pocket, receive messages, speech in the news, be modern—that is, attuned to the wireless.

Swift & Company's Sales of Fresh Beef the Bottom for the week ending Saturday, Jan. 13th, averaged 10.67 cents per pound. **

YOU CAN HAVE HEALTHY HAIR. USE WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR. A HARMLESS REMEDY

What a pity it is to observe so many people with thin and faded hair and then realize that the most of these people might have a fine, healthy head of hair if they would but use the simple "sage tea" of our grandmothers, combined with other ingredients for restoring and preserving the hair. No one, young or old, need have gray hair, weak, thin or falling hair, dandruff or any trouble of the sort if they would but use Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. On the contrary, it is possible to have healthy, vigorous hair, of perfect color, by a few applications of this remarkable preparation.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy quickly removes dandruff, keeps the scalp clean and healthy, promotes the growth of the hair and restores the natural color of the hair which has become faded or gray. It is a clean, wholesome dressing, which may be used at any time and with perfect safety. Don't neglect your hair. Start to-day with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

Love and Death

LOVE with his flaming wings forever beateth
At the fast-barred doors of Death's abode
With yearning lips and longing eyes entreateth
That vainly life to man should not be showed.

From earliest ages of the world's creation—
From the first silent dawn of gleaming light,
Love still hath sought in patient supplication
Freedom for men—the vassals of Death's might.

Yes! at the last, the hands of Love shall sever
The bonds whereby the soul of man is bound;
The gates of Hell shall not prevail forever—
Immortal joys, sought, longed for, shall be found.

The Faucet in the Kitchen

By THOMAS TAPPER.

THERE is something in this article about the "Faucet in the Kitchen Sink," but it is quite a way along.

We were taught in school that there are many oceans: the Atlantic, the Pacific, the Arctic, the Antarctic and the Indian.

These names are very useful, for they help us to locate places more or less exactly.

But we do not realize that all these oceans ARE ONE WATER. They are not separate one from the other. No line shows where one begins and another ends. They all mingle to form one water, *without separation.*

II.

All the oceans make one water.

THAT WATER IS ALIVE, VITAL, FULL OF MOTION.

The tide-throb that moves through it regularly gives it a vitality that is felt by the water over all the earth. When the tide moves the Arctic Ocean knows it, and the Antarctic knows it, and every drop of water in the water of the globe knows it. The tide-throb is the heart-throb of the waters.

What are the waters of the earth doing?

They are constantly beating upon the land mass and changing its appearance. It may be the sandy coast of Florida or the granite coast of Maine; the waters beat upon both and changes them.

THIS IS EXACTLY WHAT A LIVE MAN DOES IN HIS ENVIRONMENT.

As the waters of the earth beat upon the land mass they eat their way into it and make bays. The land mass of our earth is indented with countless bays. These bays have names, just as people have.

When the tide-throb reaches the water farther into a bay it begins to work there, and it changes the outline and forms of the bay.

But imagine a bay THAT SUDDENLY BEGINS TO THINK. It looks around and says to itself:

"I'm a big bay! All the other bays around here are small in comparison with me. In fact, I'm so big a bay that I guess I can get along all by myself. I'll just stop the tide thing my water away. I'll throw up enough sand and rocks and dirt behind me to keep my water in. Then I'll do business by myself."

Now the bay has cut itself off from the waters of the earth.

It is a fine bay!

It is living an independent life—and thanks to nobody else.

"Certainly," it says, "THIS is the way to live."

What happens?

The sun shines, the winds play, and the water of the bay dries up. Being cut off from the ocean it has no motion, and in a day or two the inevitable happens: It begins to smell bad. All the sweetness of the MOVING water is over. Only a stench of water, SEPARATED FROM THE GREAT OCEAN, is there.

Now, if you will think this over a little, and for the reasons of the earth which are parts of Universal life, and for the boys of the earth substitute human beings, you can see exactly what happens to a man who separates himself from the rest of life and sets off to have a good time all by himself, and "nobody the wiser for it."

III.

Now thus is the "Faucet in the Kitchen Sink" a useful sort of thing for teaching us a lesson about the foolishness of trying to separate.

The sink is a workshop.

High above it, somewhere, there is a reservoir of water, an unfailing supply. To draw upon this supply provides the means for doing sink-work.

Anyone can understand that.

Anyone can imagine the Faucet getting the food jobs into its head that IT supplies the water for sink-work. It says to itself:

"That reservoir thing talk about is overestimated. I'll just stop it flowing through me, and show them that I am the whole thing."

Anyone can understand that, too, or this:

"This talk about a Universal Life is all nonsense. There is no such thing. Water me. I'm going to become a free and independent man, and show them that I can get along all alone by myself."

Then the man goes out in a boat some day. He lets into the water and exclaims:

"God help me, I'm drowning!"

All at once he has ceased to feel quite so free and independent, and calls on God to keep him from drowning.

So by the help of pictures, comparisons, and parables we learn these things:

1. There is a great ocean of universal life about us.

2. It will flow into every one of us, if we do not cut ourselves off.

3. We cut ourselves off by forgetting that the reservoir is back of us.

4. When we are cut off, we are without a supply.

5. For a man who is cut off from the reservoir of life, there is no health and no strength.

6. This should teach us why some men and women are always sick and miserable; why they look lost and homeless.

They are clogged up faucets in the kitchen sink of life.

"Married Life the Third Year" is a regular feature of the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss the instalment of Mrs. Urner's interesting series in the Sunday AMERICAN.

The Culprit

THE teacher was very earnest—far more so than his pupils—and, the subject he chose was about the terrible outcome of laziness and idleness.

With due solemnity, as befitted the occasion, he drew a terrible picture of the habitual loafer, the man of little to get up early and work, and then will grow in thick and silky. No harm results from using peroxide, but we certainly do not say where no hair is wanted. You may have all your druggist's charge for the original package of pyroxia, but it is cheap even at that price.

D. M. S.: Cutting the hairs only makes them grow coarser and darker. Get an original package of delatone and with a little of the powder mix enough water to form a paste. Put this on the hairy surface and leave from five to fifteen minutes rub off, wash the skin and every trace of hair will have disappeared. Druggists charge a dollar an ounce for delatone, but it never fails to do the work.

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S. D. Yes, no factor is more important in a beautiful face than bright, clear, youthful eyes. You should use a good eye tonic. Get an ounce of eyelixa, dissolve it in a pint of water and use two or three drops in each eye daily. It will clear and strengthen your eyes, remove all signs of weakness and inflammation and make them bright and sparkling. For weak, dull, expressionless eyes I think this tonic simply wonderful. It is very soothing, and is fine for those who wear glasses.

Health and Beauty Advice

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN

Ada T.: Avoid all complexion creams which contain oil, as they make the skin shiny and cause hair to grow on the face. Try a teaspoonful of glycerine and the juice of one lemon into ½-pint cold water. Use a tasteless cream daily for clearing, softening and whitening the skin. It is unsurpassed for cleaning the complexion and making it smooth and youthful looking. Use the morning and night and you need have no worry about the way your face will look.

Mrs. F. R.: Weight reduction is a very delicate matter. These old-fashioned stories of violent exercises and starvation are all nonsense, and at the best foolish and dangerous. To take off fat, simply compound the ounces of the following tonic will clear the skin and every trace of hair will have disappeared. Druggists charge a dollar an ounce for delatone, but it never fails to do the work.

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Belle: The reason your hair looks so dull and faded and is so hard to arrange is that you have made the usual mistake of shampooing with soap. Any woman who uses soap shampoos cannot expect to have beautiful hair. It may clean the hair, but does not remove the pore-dirt from the hair roots. Your hair becomes stringy and unmanageable in a few days and you wonder why. Let soap shampoos alone and use a teaspoonful of canthrox dissolved in a cup of hot water for your shampoo, if you want your hair to dry evenly and quickly without streaking. Canthrox makes the hair very fluffy and bright, and gives to the scalp a feeling of pleasing freshness. You will not notice cold if you shampoo with canthrox and will find it makes your hair look so very nice.

Dora: Long, silken, curly eyelashes greatly set off beautiful eyes, and by applying pyrozon to lash roots with the thumb and forefinger, short lashes may be made thick and curly. For thin eyebrows, apply pyrozon with finger tips and they will grow in thick and silky. No harm results from using pyrozin, but we cannot tell to say where no hair is wanted. You may have all your druggist's charge for the original package of pyrozin, but it is cheap even at that price.

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Some Guys Just Can't Help Getting in Dutch

I HOPE SHRIMP FLYNN AINT AROUND. HE WILL WANT TO BORROW THIS SLED AWAY FROM ME
NOPE, I GUESS HE AINT AROUND TO-DAY GEE I'M IN LUCK I KIN HAVE A FINE RIDE ALL BY MYSELF
THAT'S ALL RIGHT SKINNY, DON'T MIND ME, GO RIGHT AHEAD
DOINGS DOWN IN DIPPY DELL
JUST A HOP SKIP AND A JUMP FROM NUT HOLLOW
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN BEGINNING NEXT MONDAY THE DAY FOLLOWING THURSDAY WILL BE KNOWN AS FRIDAY, THE SAME AS IN THE PAST ONLY NEXT FRIDAY WILL BE SEVEN DAYS LATER THAN LAST FRIDAY.
I AM NOT GOING TO BOTHER YOU WITH FACTS AND FIGURES BUT MARS IS ABOUT NINETY FIVE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED AND A FEW MILES FROM HERE. SCIENTISTS SAY THERE
COME ON, COME ON GET A WIGGLE ON OR I'LL STEP ON YOUR TOES
OOP!
YOU JIST WAIT TILL I GET HOLD OF YOU!
I DIDN'T DO NOTHIN'!
ARE PEOPLE LIVING ON IT BUT WHAT'S THAT GOT TO DO WITH US, MAYBE WE CAN BORROW MONEY FROM THEM BUT
IT CAN'T BE DONE WITHOUT A MAKE UP!
I GOT HER STEVE, I GOT HER!
TOM McNAMARA

"US BOYS" IS A REGULAR FEATURE OF THE SUNDAY AMERICAN. DON'T MISS THE ENTERTAINING DOINGS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE "MALGUMATED SOCIETY" IN THE SUNDAY AMERICAN.

Desperate Desmond

A Continued Picture Drama of Love and Hate, with a Thrill in Its Every Picture

WHILE TAKING MOVING PICTURES OF THE WAR, 'TILL I'M FEW FEET OF THIS CRIME
I HAVE THE LOVERS CLAUDE AND ROSAMOND IN MY POWER. I HAVE A HORRIBLE DEATH PLANNED FOR CLAUDE
DESMOND, YOU FIEND! I DEFY YOU, I DIE FOR LOVE OF ROSAMOND
DESMOND YOU CUR.
YOU WILL RUN FULL SPEED INTO THE PITCHFORKS
HORRORS! THE CAMEL IS RUSHING FOR THIS BARN TO GET HAY AND I AM FORCED TO PERISH MY LOVER, OH
IT'S MY TURN TO RIDE ON THIS SLIDING DOOR SHE HEY
SAVED! THE DOOR SLAMMED
I HAVE MOVING PICTURE PROOF AGAINST DESMOND
THE ENRAGED CAMEL IS TAKING ME TO THE ITALIAN CAMP. I'M SAVED!
CLAUDE AND ROSAMOND WE CATCH DESMOND NOW!
HERSHE

As Desmond, with Claude and Rosamond bound across the camel, makes his way across the desert, a moving picture man, taking war scenes in Tripoli, runs off a film which catches the villain and his victims. But what reeks Desmond of a moving picture man? Answer: He reeks nothing at all. Reaching a barn, Desmond forces Rosamond to hold a sharp pitchfork above the door. The villain knows that the hungry camel will dash through the door and that Claude will be trundled.

It is a double death for Claude to be slain by a weapon in the hands of Rosamond, but, game to the last, he faces his fate unafraid. The camel rushes madly forward—in a moment our hero will be a dead hero, which is not quite so good in some ways as a live reward. But, say! What are the little Arab boys doing? They are playing one of childhood's pet games—riding on the sliding doors. And just as they swing the door across, bump! goes the poor camel's head against it and Claude's life is saved.

Naturally the camel is indignant. Nobody likes to run their head into a door, and accordingly the thoroughly infuriated animal rushes madly across the burning sands with Claude tightly bound to its back. But the moving picture man is at hand, and he may aid the hero if he can overcome his professional desire to take pictures. In the meantime Desmond has one of the lovers in his power and no one can predict the outcome except the artist, and he won't tell before to-morrow's pictures.

Up-to-Date Jokes

"My husband fifteen years ago," said Mrs. Blank, "used to kiss me every time we passed through a tunnel. But now"—

She gave a bitter laugh. "Now," she said, "he takes a long pull at his travelling flask."

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Salesman (recommending blue necktie with large pink spots)—But wouldn't you buy one like that? I'm selling a lot of them this year.

Sarcastic Customer—Indeed! Very clever of you, I'm sure.

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Clara—I must say I think your young man is very forward. If he were mine I'd sit on him.

Gladys—But that's exactly what I do—and he seems to enjoy it.

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"So you are a bill collector?"

"Yes. Here is one"—

"Keep it, my boy. Keep it. You seem to have a nice collection there. Far be it from me to break it up."

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Diner—Is it customary to tip the waiter in this restaurant?

Waiter—Why—oh—yes, sir.

Diner—Then hand me a tip. I've waited three-quarters of an hour for that steak I ordered.

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"Is the editor-in-chief in?" asked a stranger as he stumbled into the office at 8 o'clock in the morning.

"No, sir," replied the attendant kindly; "he does not come so early. Is there anything I can do?"

"Perhaps so. Are you connected with the poetical department of the paper?"

"I am, sir."

"Oh, what do you do?"

"I empty the waste-paper baskets, sir."

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He—I dreamt that I proposed to a pretty girl last night.

She—Well, go on—what did I say?

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TO-DAY'S INSTALMENT

By John A. Moroso

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PART ONE—(Continued)

"AUNTIE MELINDA" insisted herself with her piece de resistance—old-fashioned corn cakes, which she turned skilfully on a flat piece of iron, shielding her eyes from the heat of the fire as she did so.

Stafford and Virginia, as they boyed the bird, laughed and chatted with each other or asked questions of the old black cook.

The feast, in the great glare of the log fire, was all wonderfully novel and fine to Virginia. After their coffee and walnuts and nuts, they went for a stroll in the clearing about the lodge.

Full Moon Rose

The stars were so bright overhead that they seemed to be hanging in the pine tops. The full moon rose and made the clearing a lake of gold. Far off, in the distance, sounded the mellow notes of a country church bell, while nearer came the thrumming of crickets and the pleasing sounds of night in the country.

Uncle Dane and his wife said "good night," and journeyed to their snug cabin several hundred yards from the lodge.

The happy bridal pair were alone with the stars, the moon, and the shadows and fragrance of the woodland.

"I have my first favor to ask," coaxed Virginia as they re-entered their forest retreat.

"It is already granted," he told her.

"Every year we will come back for a little while," she said.

"Yes, indeed, if you wish it," he answered. "I knew you would like it, dear."

"It is paradise," she said.

WHILE the Staffords were secure from all intrusion, the Gilley family was being heard of in the world.

At Palm Beach, James Gilley, Esq., was a shining light among the younger set. He had fallen college boys saucer-eyed by his wealth of ideas. He was on the verge of abandoning the honeymoon and leading an expedition for the recovery of pirate treasure when the parents of the young men, who were going to man the yacht and hunt for Spanish pieces of eight—incidentally, paying all the expenses—discovered what was afoot and stopped it.

Thus did Jimmie lose a great fortune and the time for his debut into high finance was once more put off.

Again he had a splendid plan for combining all the hotels, and his great brain worked out the details of the scheme only to have the most prosperous of the hotel proprietors decline to share in the plan on the very good grounds that they did not care to divide their profits with hotel keepers who were not making money.

Fanny, confident that Jimmie was foreordained to startle the business world some day, followed his every scheme with pride and delight and always found an excuse for him when each failed or frazzled out.

Startled Jimmie

With all their expenses covered and with abundant money in his wallet, the ex-third assistant shipping clerk assumed all the importance and grandeur and prestige of an ex-third assistant secretary of state. Jimmy always insisted on dressing for dinner, sporting his tuxedo and a front of highly polished white shirt and waistcoat.

Fanny, taking her cue from the wealthy and fashionable women, added a dazzling gown to her wardrobe. She rather startled Jimmie with her appearance in this.

"It's all right for us to be derigger all the time," protested Jimmie, "but listen to me, Chicken; what you need is a little more clothes on you from the waist up. Either that or we'll have to buy about fifteen dollars' worth of phony pearls to cover you with."

Jimmie couldn't quite see it, as a social necessity, when Fanny exposed her pulchritude undraped to the naked masculine eye.

"We'll get around to that when you're older," he told her. "You don't want to break in too suddenly on this bareback business. It's like taking up the cold shower rag—you want to get up to it gradually. It is too shocking at first; what?"

So Fanny had a wide frill stitched to her costume and became all the more lovely for its suggestion of modesty.

There was never a dance at the Casino that Mrs. James Gilley did not have her card quickly filled. The young men found ways of getting introduced to her, and some of the women Jimmie classed as "real jewels" were compelled by their husbands to take her up because Mrs. Jimmie let it be known that she was the sister-in-law of Robert Stafford.

Head Was Level

That these men and women had ulterior motives in showing her favor did not concern Fanny any. She chatted with them about "Robert" as if she had been in the millionaire class all her life. What she wanted was a good time and she was getting it.

Jimmie knew that her head was level and that, under all the adolescent admiration the youngsters of the rich colony showered on Fanny, there would be no time when Fanny would be found unable to take mighty good care of herself.

A girl who can work in New York City for seven dollars a week, standing all day behind a counter heaped with untrimmed hats, could well be expected to look out for herself anywhere, wisely opined James.

The three weeks at Palm Beach sped as if on the wings of the morning wind. Too soon did the Gilleys leave to pack up and decamp for the North and the cold of Winter. Their money was all gone.

"It's a good thing that everything's paid for on the way back," mused Jimmie. "When we reach New York it will be hot foot to the delicatessen store around the corner for us. We have credit and plenty of credit, now, since the papers took us up and it is known that we married—the whole crew of us—Stafford, the millionaire."

"We might hock something until you draw next week's pay," suggested Fanny.

"Yes, but it's such a beastly bore to have to go to a pawnbroker's office, y'know," sighed Jimmie, is fine imitation of a young scion of wealth and fashion.

"Yes, dreadfully boring, y'know," said Fanny "but you know, Jimmie, it's a long hike from Forty-eighth street to Broadway and Wall."

Sweet and Cosey

"Right!" exclaimed the young husband. "That is some walk. I'll soak some of my clothes."

"The Tuxedo, Jimmie," suggested Fanny. "You won't need it until Virginia gets back."

"Not much," Jimmie protested. "We might get invited somewhere. I'm going to hang to that Tuxedo. I'll soak the English walkinn suit. The tails flop against the legs and I've not yet been able to sit down in the tuling with any comfort."

So they returned to the little flat the two working girls had made into a home for themselves, and it all looked very pretty and sweet and cosey when Fanny had on a long gingham apron and could be seen doing things and talking without effort to imitate other women.

Here they were, Jimmie and Fanny, natures as life and as happy. If not happier, than they had been at any time during the new honeymoon among the rich and idling.

Jimmie pawned his defeated walking suit and got ten dollars on it. He put aside five of it for lunch and carfare for one week and Fanny took the other five to supply their table.

Steak and baked potatoes and a pitcher of beer made their first meal at home, and Fanny blew Jimmie to a passably good cigar, which Jimmie smoked with ruminating comments on the values of certain grades of tobacco.

Into the Future

His heels were elevated to the window sill; Fanny sat on the arm of the chair. Jimmie was in his shirt sleeves, very comfortable and very happy.

The lamp was lighted and a bright fire burned in the open fireplace of their living room.

Between puffs at his cigar Jimmie delved into the future. His brows were knitted and his face was serious that Fanny demanded to know what was the burden of his thought.

"I was just thinking," said Jimmie solemnly, "that I shall make a financier out of my first son."

A year of abundant happiness passed.

Fanny was blessed with a healthy girl baby to the joy and delight of herself and the disappointment of Jimmie. The increase in family also brought an increase of fifty dollars a week in pay for Jimmie, for Stafford had found the boy amusing and liked to have him around his office.

For Virginia, the happiness of motherhood was denied. During the year they had taken a town and a country house and had entertained with increasing lavishness as she made friends among the wealthy people of society.

All during the time she had studied with tutors, gradually equipping herself for what promised to be a brilliant career. She was specially apt in languages and few, in her gradually widening circle, could show a better, brighter mind that hers.

She was the pride and joy of Stafford, who continued in the game of finance, piling up fortune on fortune and lavishing Virginia with the full measure of a money king's favor.

Her wardrobe and her jewels were the envy of many a woman not so rich. Her salons were as brilliant as those held by the acknowledged social leader of the day, and, at last, instead of being the subject of hidden sneers, because she had once earned her living as a telephone girl, she became courted and sought after by her sex.

Fanny developed into a splendid woman. Her tastes became modified, and, although she was not above lapsing into her old mannerisms of the time when she had "counted cash at seven p.m." as she put it, she was guilty of such slips with

The famous Potash and Perlmutter ("Abe" and "Mawruss") stories by Montague Glass are a regular feature of the Sunday AMERICAN.

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Do You Know That—

France is going to have twenty-four-hour clocks. The railroad stations will be furnished with timepieces the faces of which will mark twenty-four hours instead of twelve. One will no longer take a train at twenty minutes past one in the afternoon, but at 13:20. Instead of saying 4 o'clock, one will say "16 o'clock." Theatrical performances will commence at 20 o'clock or half-past 20.

The first woman in history to join the diplomatic corps of any nation is Miss Clothilde Luisi, a native of Uruguay. She belongs to one of Uruguay's oldest families, and is a doctor of laws of the University of Uruguay. Her first appointment will be at the Uruguayan Legation at Brussels as an attache.

A grasshopper can jump two hundred times its own length.

An acre of wheat in the United States produces an average crop of twelve bushels; an acre in England grows twenty-seven bushels.

More matches are made in Great Britain than in any other country in the world.

There are slightly over a million books in the library attached to the British Museum, but the Imperial Library in Paris possesses over two million books.

A bee, unladen, will fly forty miles an hour; but one seeming home laden with honey does not travel faster than twelve miles an hour.

During August alone there were 37,737 outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease in Germany; in July there were 12,338 in Holland and 16,027 in France.

To Be Continued To-morrow.

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

C. P. R. OPENS UP 3 POINTS

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Heavy buying of Canadian Pacific in London was followed by that stock opening 3 points higher on the New York Stock Exchange to-day. Buying of the issue here resulted in an additional sale of ¼ within a few minutes.

Price movements in the early trading were irregular. Reading and Union Pacific were in good demand, the former gaining ¾ and the latter ⅝. Other important shares were under pressure and sustained declines. The selling of Interborough Metropolitan traction attracted considerable attention. The common declined 1¾ and the preferred 2¾.

After opening unchanged, Unlisted States Steel common advanced ⅝. B. & O. was in brisk demand, opening at 104¼, a gain of 1%, over Monday's closing price.

Other shares were active, including Lehigh Valley, which was strong.

The stock exchange will be closed to-morrow, Lincoln's birthday.

Investments in London were steady, but the trading in this group was narrow. The chief feature in London was the persistent buying of Canadian Pacific.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	132½	132½	132½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	138¾	138¾	138¾

TELEPHONES.

American	141½	140¾	140¾

ELECTRIC COMPANIES.

Georgia Ry. & Elec.	74	74	74

MINING STOCKS.

Adventure	6	6	6
Arizona Commercial	9	9	9
Calumet & Arizona	61¾	61¾	61¾
Centennial	20	18	20
Daly-West	20½	20½	20½
Granby	37	37	37
Greene-Cananea	58	58	58
Mass	8¾	8¾	8¾
Mayflower	69	69	69
North Butte	27	27	27
Old Colony	43	43	43
Trinity	8¾	8¾	8¾
Wyandotte	2¾	2¾	2¾

MISCELLANEOUS.

American Pneumatic	5¾	5¾	5¾
Mass. Gas	94½	94¼	94½
United Fruit	134¾	134¼	134¼
United Shoe Ma. pf.	27¾	27¾	27¾

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Amalgamated Sugar	61¾	61¾	61¾
Boston Corbin	8¾	8¾	8¾
East Butte	8¾	8¾	8¾
Giroux	4¾	4¾	4¾
Hancock	30¾	30¾	30¾
Indiana	12	11½	12
Inspiration	40	39¾	39¾
Island Creek	41	41	41
Kerr Lake	7	7	7
Keweenaw	2	2	2
Ray Consolidated	17¾	17¾	17¾
Shannon	10¾	10¾	10¾

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	105¾	105	105
Balt. & Ohio	104¼	103¾	104
Brooklyn R. T.	79¾	78¾	79¾
Canadian Pacific	261	257½	261
Ches. & Ohio	72¾	72¾	72¾
Chic., M. & St. P.	108¾	107¾	107
Denver & Rio G.	21	20¾	20¾
Erie	30¾	30¼	30¼
Int.-Metropol.	17	16¾	16¾
Int.-Met. pf.	54¾	53¾	54¾
Louis. & Nash.	142¾	142¼	142¼
Lehigh Valley	185¾	185¾	185¾
N. Y. C. & H.	107	106¾	106¾
Norfolk & West	100	100	100
Northern Pac.	120¾	120¼	120¼
Pennsylvania	122¾	122¼	122¼
Reading	167¾	166¾	167
Rock Island pf.	51¾	51¾	51¾
Southern Pac.	109¾	109¼	109¼
Third Ave. W. I.	47	46¾	46¾
Union Pacific	168	167¾	167¾
Union Pac. pf.	91¼	91¼	91¼
Wabash pf.	57¾	57¾	57¾

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	64¾	64¼	64¼
Am. Cotton Oil	45¾	45¾	46¼
Air Brake	46¾	46¾	46¾
Amer. Sm. & R.	76¾	76¾	76¾
Am. Sug. Ref.	115	115	115
Am. Beet Sugar	36¾	36¾	36¾
Am. Can	92¾	92¾	92¾
Anaconda Copper	37¾	37¾	37¾
Col. Fuel & Iron	35¾	35¾	35¾
Con. Gas N. Y.	141¾	141¼	141¼
Gen. Electric	158¾	158¾	158¾
Inter-Marine	16¾	16¾	16¾
Inter-Marine pf.	40	39¾	40
Rep. I. & Steel	27¾	27¾	27¾
Rep. I. & Steel pf.	90	90	90
U. S. Rubber	57¾	57¾	57¾
U. S. Steel	60¾	60¼	60¼
U. S. Steel pf.	107¾	107¾	107¾
Utah Copper	46¾	46¾	46¾
West. El.	80¾	80¼	80¼
West. U. & Mtg.	73	73	73

COMMERCIAL

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

Three railroads have issued or will issue bonds to the total of $49,000,000. The Norfolk & Western will offer $14,000,000 4 per cents; the sale of $15,000,000 4 per cent. Chicago & Northwestern bonds is pending, and the Rock Island has sold to Speyer & Co. $20,000,000 twenty-year 5 per cent. gold debentures.

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Fortnightly statistics compiled in London show that the stocks of copper in Europe had decreased 500 tons on January 15, while copper supplies afloat had decreased 1,200 tons. The total tonnage on hand on the other side of the Atlantic is 55,740 tons. A year ago it was 83,220. Based on the last day of 1911 it was 57,400 tons.

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Talk among the miners who are assembling at Indianapolis for the national convention of the United Mine Workers of America is to the effect of demanding an increase in the wage scale. Some leaders declare demanding a 2 per cent. increase others will be satisfied with 5. There has been no wage change in the bituminous fields since 1909. The scale for ten years expires March 31. Miners have faith, although the cost of living steadily increases.

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President Brock of the New York Central system confirms the report that 15,000 tons of steel rails have been ordered, and it is reported that 65,000 more tons will be bought for fulfilling 1912 requirements. The Pennsylvania road is also understood to have ordered 100,000 tons of steel rails, and Lackawanna roads are expected respectively to follow.

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The packing house industry had its poorest year in ten in 1911, according to the report of the Institute of American Meat Packers to the National Live Stock Association. Uncertainty as to what the government considers legitimate operations is given as the reason.

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The heavy snowfall in Kansas lends agricultural circles confidence that the drought is broken. The State has suffered from two dry years. It is figured that a good crop will result if still more of the soil to a depth of seven feet.

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Regarding the St. Paul dividend, it is understood that William Rockefeller is holding out for 8 per cent. cash, and says that other directors advocate a cut.

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Bay State Gas	3¾	3¾	3¾
Bonanza	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Butte Coalition	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Butte Central	6¼	6¼	6¼
Calumet & Corbin	4 11-16	4 11-16	4 11-16
Cumberland Ely	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Cortez	1¼	1¼	1¼
Dublin Creek	3 1-16	3 1-16	3⅛
Davis Daly	90c	90c	90c
Elm River National	2 15-16	2 13-16	2 15-16
Goldfield Con.	4¾	4⅝	4⅝
Granby	37¼	37	37
Inspiration	20¼	20⅛	20⅛
Mexican Metals	1 5-16	1	1
Nevada Utah	8c	8c	8c
Nipissing Copper	1 1-16	1	1

UNQUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amalgamated	47¼	46¾	47
Consolidated	16¾	16¼	16¼
Utah	60	60	60
Arizona Com.	9	8 15-16	8 15-16
Ash Hill	70c	60c	60c
Bingham	1	1	1
Bonanza	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Boston Ely	2¼	2	2
Boston & Montana	27-16	2 5-16	2 7-16
Bonanza Development	3	3	3
Butte Coalition	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Butte & Boston	90c	90c	90c
Butte & Superior	70¾	70¼	70¼
Calumet & Corbin	4 11-16	4 11-16	4 11-16
Calumet & Hecla	700	690	690
Centennial	20	18	20
Chief Consolidated	1	1	1
Copper Range	57¾	57¼	57¼
Daly-West	20½	20½	20½
Davis Daly	90c	90c	90c
East Butte	8¾	8¾	8¾
Franklin	8¾	8¾	8¾
Granby	37¼	37	37
Greene-Cananea	58	58	58
Hancock	30¾	30¾	30¾
Helvetia	30	30	30
Indiana	12	11½	12
Inspiration	40	39¾	39¾
Island Creek	41	41	41
Isle Royale	29¾	29¾	29¾
Kerr Lake	7	7	7
Keweenaw	2	2	2
La Salle	1¾	1¾	1¾
Lake	3	3	3
Mass	8¾	8¾	8¾
Mayflower	69	69	69
Michigan	1¾	1¾	1¾
Mohawk	58¾	58¾	58¾
Nevada Con.	19¾	19¾	19¾
North Butte	27	27	27
North Lake	2¾	2¾	2¾
Old Colony	43	43	43
Old Dominion	36¾	36¾	36¾
Osceola	70¾	70¼	70¼
Parrot	25¾	25¾	25¾
Quincy	70¾	70¼	70¼
Ray Consolidated	17¾	17¾	17¾
Shannon	10¾	10¾	10¾
Superior & Boston	1¾	1¾	1¾
Superior & Pittsburg	1¾	1¾	1¾
Tamarack	70	70	70
Trinity	8¾	8¾	8¾
Tuolumne	1¾	1¾	1¾
Utah Apex	3¾	3¾	3¾
Utah Con.	9	9	9
Utah Metal	3¾	3¾	3¾
Victoria	3¾	3¾	3¾
Winona	1¾	1¾	1¾
Wolverine	70	70	70
Wyandotte	2¾	2¾	2¾

SOCIETY DANCE AT SOMERSET TO-NIGHT

The first of the junior assemblies of the younger matrons of society will be given at the Hotel Somerset to-night, and will be under the patronage of Mrs. Arthur Lewis, Mrs. Lewis Bremer, Mrs. George R. Fearing, Jr., Mrs. Robert E. Gardiner, Mrs. Henry W. Hunnewell, Mrs. John Lowell, Mrs. Henry Parkman, Mrs. Robert Treat Paine and Mrs. George T. Rice. Subscription dances have not been well attended of late, so that they have been practically discontinued until the announcement of the ball for to-night was made. Many invitations to the affair to-night have been issued, and everyone in society is hoping for results.

BOY FALLS INTO TUB OF SCALDING WATER

Little Zaven Ohanian, the two-year-old son of Mehran Ohanian of Shaw avenue, Middleboro, is at the City Hospital suffering from burns which he received by falling into a tub of scalding water. The little fellow was playing in an adjoining room to where his mother was washing, and without warning walked right into the room. He turned around quickly and fell backward into the tub. Dr. J. D. Leahy and Dr. J. H. Buckland were called and advised that the child be taken to the hospital, where little hope is given for his recovery.

$20,000 FIRE IN EAST WEYMOUTH

The Masonic building on Board street, East Weymouth, was destroyed by fire, caused by a defective furnace. The loss to the Masons, who owned the building, was more than $20,000.

HATFIELD VISITS TAFT.

State Chairman Charles S. Hatfield of the Massachusetts Republican State Committee returns to Boston to-day after an important conference regarding political nominations in New England with President Taft at Washington.

EX-ALDERMAN HELD ON ARSON CHARGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Henry Clay Peters, former alderman from Brooklyn and now living at Roxbury, Mass., was held in $2,500 bail for the Grand Jury by Magistrate House on a charge of attempted arson. Peters was arrested last Thursday. According to the police evidence he had said he went to the Claremont Hotel Thursday night and registered as "James McCarthy, wife and daughter." Maude Hall, a maid, testified that she entered the rooms shortly after Peters had left and found one of them ablaze.

STEAMER HARFLEUR HITS NEAR PORT SAID

PORT SAID, Egypt, Jan. 16.—The British steamship Harfleur is aground in the rounds east of this port, having stranded on a shifting bar of sand and mud. Several engines. The crew is discharging the cargo.

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SUPERIOR BILLS PRESENTED AT THE THEATRES

John Drew in Merry Comedy, "A Single Man," a Hit at the Hollis.

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

John Drew returned to the Hollis last evening and continued his task, begun years ago and repeated each season, of being like a perfect gentleman. The thing is certain—we cannot recall a playwright who has supplied plays for Mr. Drew in recent years who has given him the least bit of trouble. Barrie, and Hubert Henry Davies, who wrote "A Single Man," was kind to Tradition. For four acts Mr. Drew was the same faultless gentleman that he have come to show rather ultimately when the actor began making annual pilgrimages to town.

On the whole, "A Single Man" served Mr. Drew better than many of his more able players. I cannot help but be suspicious of ways that were agreeable to last evening's audience, and gave to the first night of three beautiful women when he felt that nothing was beckoning. Slender waisted, perhaps, but nevertheless sufficiently amusing to keep the audience good humored. "A Single Man" ran along a love lit path that entangled three women and Robin Worthington.

Such Mingled Emotions.

Mr. Drew gave Worthington the benefit of his extreme culture and refinement, which is one of developments, was perhaps for the best. But while Worthington had refinement and good breeding he lacked humor. He is a pick for a wife a woman somewhere near his own age. Progress is shown in Mr. Drew's niece girl, and all that, and as played by Miss Rosalind Young she was a splendid young creature, but her flighty ways were not likely to bring her happiness to Robin Worthington. He had passed out of the juvenile stage and the physical speed of Miss Young's niece left him panting for breath after one session on the tennis court. And when she entered for mate he looked up his hands and turned to his secretary for help.

You know the rest, Worthington noticed for the first time that Miss Hazelton's face was very pretty and golden, that her eyes were soft and warm and that she possessed an exceeding. Such was the secretary, and Miss Mary Boland gave her all the natural charm and beauty—and a little more—that a secretary should have if she expects to marry her employer.

And so for three acts Mr. Drew found himself entered to death with such tender emotions over two women, and bored to distraction by a young woman friend of the family, played by Miss Thais Lawton, who proposed to take care of him herself and collect all the damages.

A Sprightly Comedy.

It is not necessary to say that Mr. Drew seemed very much at home in this sprightly English comedy. It imposed no task upon him that he has not met and conquered many times before. He was prompt with his good manners and always in tune with his surroundings. And the audience expressed itself approvingly. What more could you ask?

Miss Boland acted with a sensible regard for what might be expected of a pretty secretary. She was pleasing to the eye, which, after all, is essential with all leading women who work with Mr. Drew. Miss Lawton played the over-zealous friend hunter for all the role was worth, and Miss McGee was especially fluffy and girlish as Maggie Cottrell. Louise Drew, who played Worthington's sister, gave certain evidences of being worthy of her good company.

"A Single Man" is a merry play—quiet in its action, but merry all the time.

The next attraction at the Hollis will be Elsie Ferguson in "The First Lady of the Land."

Shubert.

When the sun came out bright and warm to-day and the atmosphere began to melt, residents of Exeter Boston caught a delightful melody that emanated strangely from the air. It ceased, and then the instrument until it was explained by a young man who had been at the Shubert Theatre last night.

"Why," he declared, "that's the big song hit of the 'Never Homes.' There's a rival in Havana." They were whistling it last night after the show when it was signaled in the air and now the sunshine has loosed it."

Be that as it may, the "Never Homes," with its six gorgeous scenes, its pretty pictorial girls, really excellent singing and incomparable dancing is an entertainment that will be enshrined in the memories of those who see and hear it, even if it is not placed in the atmosphere.

The fun is centered around the suffragette movement, and in a small town. They have suffragette policemen, suffragette firemen and a suffragette court.

One realizes that George W. Monroe is the leader of the feminine party the happy result may be conjectured. Some of the married men get arrested every night. The management insists as a matter of fact, simple notice when there is to be a concert. Clever lines, inimitable acting, genuine fun—they keep the audience in a roar.

Jess Dandy, Al Leech, Joseph Santley, Miss Ray Cox and Miss Rosie Cifford have a lot to do in the show, and they do it in their own irresistible manner. The singing of Miss Lillian Herlein sounded good to those who had heard Tetrazzini in the closing scene of "Lucia," a few nights ago, and that's saying a good deal.

Dancing and pretty clever were the imitations in singing and dancing of Will Archer, as Jenny Linder Lound, a lass of 19, and Ray Hayes, as Fannie Hicks, another near orphan, made up by the participation in politics of their mothers.

The "Never Homes" is a Lew Fields production. It is lavish in every way, including the "Midnight Sons," liked very much in Boston. The play opened on Broadway with the stamp of approval from the gay and festive White Way. The audience that filled the Shubert last night put their approval on the production and that settled it.

Keith's

Emma Carus is with us again at Keith's this week, bless her big, fat, jolly heart. She won't be sorry for calling her fat to her, she admits it herself, and says folks are jealous of her. She should be, but it is not that that makes her one of the five funny women on our stage—five—count them. Miss Emma Carus sings some songs—good songs, tuneful songs, funny songs, and she provides a lot of entertainment for herself and the audience. But please, Miss Emma Carus, sing "Kelly," while you are in Boston this week. It's your song you know. You sang it when the "Jolly Bachelors" opened in Boston, and you sing it in true Emma Carus fashion—hat, walk, look and all.

Miss Carus shares the major part of the applause this week with Joe Welch. Some folks try hard to laugh when Joe Welch comes out like some middle-aged character out of the "Curtain Raiser," but he just shuffles on to the stage and talks quietly and tells all about his troubles, but they give us finally and laugh with the rest of the audience. It is hard not to laugh when Joe Welch tells about his bright family, about the promising son who graduated from the reform school at thirteen years and now has the pick-perfect privilege at a park.

Fred Hayden, Eddie Borden and Tommy Hayden led the orchestra yesterday for the tearing the roof off demanding more after playing one of the loudest singing dances

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Holmes's Lectures.

The Burton Holmes lecture at the Tremont Temple next Friday evening and Saturday afternoon will be on "The Cruise to South America." This will be the second of Mr. Holmes's lecture series.

New Palace Theatre.

The first view of the Delhi Durbar, at which King George was crowned Emperor of India, were released at the New Palace Theatre yesterday. It was one of the most beautiful pictures ever made by the Edison moment company, and shows all of the important ceremonies in connection with the King's visit to India.

Plays That Remain.

"The Country Boy" began its second week at the Park Theatre last evening. It is a play of New England life and character.

"Baby Mine" entered upon a new week at the Majestic Theatre last evening. It will remain but one week more.

"Mutt and Jeff" began its final week at the Globe Theatre yesterday afternoon. This will make the eleventh week of the engagement.

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" continues at the Boston Theatre, where Charlotte Walker is giving a charming characterization of Jean.

The final week of "The Wizard of Oz" will begin at the Castle Square Theatre yesterday. It has been a very successful holiday attraction for Mr. Craig.

"The Pink Lady" is still at the Colonial, where crowded houses have been the rule since its arrival.

Unlimited fun continues at the Tremont, where May Ten Eyck may be seen at her best in "She Knows Better Now." Miss Ten Eyck is quite a clever actress.

Mr. Ziegfeld's "Follies" began a new week at the Tremont Theatre yesterday. It is the usual Ziegfeld mixture of fun and music.

Plays to Come.

Mr. Craig's attraction at the Castle Square Theatre next week will be "The Middleman."

"My Friend From Dixie" will be the offering at the Grand Opera House next week.

Viola Allen, in "The Herfords," will come to the Plymouth Theatre next week.

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FLOCK TO ENTER ICE CARNIVAL

Every event in the card for the AMERICAN'S big ice carnival next Saturday will show plenty of entrants and an abundance of dash and experience on skates, according to the entries that poured into the ice carnival editor to-day. The entries came in every mail, indicating that interest in the big ice meet on the Charles River basin Saturday afternoon, is widespread, but particularly so in Greater Boston. Both the championship races for men and the special events, will bring out some of the best skaters in New England.

One of the features that was shown in the entries to-day is the addition to a number of special big features. Championship races for men, quarter-mile and two-mile dash, five-mile race, open-mile events, three-minute race, for girls under and under; quarter-mile race for boys of twelve years or under; half-mile race, for girls.

Among the special features being arranged for the carnival will be an exhibition race against time by William H. Morris of St. Albans, Vt., the professional skating champion of the world. The opportunity to race against this skating marvel, free of cost, is worth while in itself.

Gordon Thompson, of Spring Lake, N. S., amateur skating champion, is to be at the carnival and has issued a challenge to meet any New England skater from the quarter-mile dash up to five miles. He also challenges any man skater to meet him in a leaping match on skates.

Still another big feature will be a hockey match between two fast teams.

Remember that if the carnival has to be postponed, for any reason, owing to unfitness of the ice for skating, the races will be held in the Boston Arena on the following afternoon, January 22, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Should the carnival be postponed, you will want to see next Sunday's AMERICAN for any change, and the time limits will be given, with a complete story of the events, giving the conditions under the races to take place as scheduled.

All the events are absolutely free to contestants. There is no entrance fee required of any kind. The AMERICAN intends this Carnival to be without expense either to contestants or spectators.

BOSTON COLLEGE NIGHT FOR REUNION

More than a thousand guests are expected at the "Boston College Home Night" which will be observed by the graduates of Boston College to-night. The affair will be held in the gymnasium of the college, and will be a reunion of scholastic athletes. Many men who are now prominent in the professional and business life of the city and other cities throughout the country. Bishop Anderson will be among the speakers, and an attractive program has been arranged for the entertainment of the guests. Rev. Thomas H. Hall, president of the college, will tell of the rapid progress being made on the new college buildings at University Heights, Newton, and many of the graduates who are prominent in business and in the professions in this city will address the gathering.

SEEKS $30,000 FOR WIFE'S LOVE

Allan Adams, proprietor of the drug store at No. 240 Highland avenue, Somerville, is defendant in a $30,000 suit brought by Samuel N. Webber of Boston, charging loss of Mrs. Webber's love. Webber is the plaintiff, is a billiard and pool player and was formerly owner of a pool room on Court street and City Hall avenue. He is now employed in the billiard room in the Adams House.

RIOT IN THEATRE OVER IRISH PLAY

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 16—Two men were arrested, charged with inciting to riot, and twenty-nine others were ejected from a local theatre when an attempt was made to break up a performance of "The Play Boy of the Western World" by the Irish players. When the second of the Gaelan persons in the audience began to shout objections from their seats and they were promptly ejected. As fast as one was silenced, however, other took up the denunciation and confusion reigned in the building nearly an hour.

MISS ROUNDS IS BRIDE AT PANAMA

Miss Mary Gladys Rounds, daughter of Former Senator William J. Rounds of Cambridge, was married to William E. Romper, formerly of Cambridge, at Christobal, Panama, after her arrival there from her Canadian honeymoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Pendleton, rector of the government ministers attached to that station. Miss Rounds was accompanied by her father, sailed from New York a week ago.

PROBE DEATH OF EAST BOSTON MAN

Mystery surrounds the sudden blindness and death of Joseph Bellio, fifty-two years old, in his home at No. 208 Bennington street, East Boston. Medical Examiner Moffatt will make an autopsy.

Bellio first complained of pains in his head, and then his sight failed. In a few minutes he was blind.

Bellio's wife was not home. Dr. Bonney gave the man the best aid he could, but Bello weakened fast and died in a few minutes.

WOMAN APPLIES FOR HER FIFTH DIVORCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Four times divorced and now seeking freedom for the fifth time, Mrs. Margaret Anderson Fauser, Miller-Kountz-Fauser, has been awarded an additional $100 by the Supreme Court to-day to prosecute the suit. Pending the outcome she also is receiving $30 a week alimony from her husband, Gustave M. Fauser, a wealthy artist and designer.

The figures in the woman's name represent as many divorces.

TAKE 7 TAILORS IN GAMBLING RAID

Sergeants Horton and LaFoy with Patrolman Andrews of the City Hall avenue police station raided a room on the second floor of the building at No. 529 Washington street last night and arrested seven men for being present where gaming implements were found. Each was booked and so far as known the extent of their game was a thousand of pinochle.

EIGHT MINERS DEAD, 6 DYING, IN GERMANY

BERLIN, Jan. 16.—Eight workmen were killed and six others fatally injured in an explosion in a blast furnace at the Phoenix plant, near Dinsburg, to-day.

BOSTON AMERICAN ICE CARNIVAL

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200 TEACHERS ADDED TO LIST

The School Committee has passed an order reducing the quota of pupils per teacher in the elementary classes from forty-four to forty, and the ungraded classes from thirty-five to thirty. The reduction, which becomes operative September 1, will result in the appointment of about 200 new teachers, at an initial cost of about $170,000.

The committee also neatly doubled the pay of the janitors of the evening high and industrial schools, approved the recommendation of the finance committee that the School Committee assume control of all high schools and libraries, including the financial end, and appointed a principal of continuation schools, elected by unanimous vote Paul V. Donovan, at present submaster of the Martin district. He will begin his new duties February 1 and is to receive $2,580 yearly.

Mental deficiency in children in the Boston schools number 880, according to the report of the Board of Superintendents.

M'CLUNG COMING HERE.

Lee McClung, Treasurer of the United States, will be the principal speaker at the annual dinner of the Massachusetts Bankers' Association to be held at the Hotel Somerset next Thursday evening.

Deaths.

JOHNSON—In this city, Jan. 16, Widcott Howe Johnson.

LAMB—In this city, Jan. 16, Elizabeth R., wife of John H. Lamb, aged 74 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 14 Elizabeth st., Wednesday, Jan. 17, at 9.15 a. m. Requiem mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

McCARTY—In Massachusetts General Hospital, Jan. 15, Paul M., beloved son of Della and the late Jeremiah J. McCarty, aged 19 years.

Funeral from his mother's residence, 24 Alpine st., Dorchester, Wednesday, Jan. 17, at 8 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Joseph's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend.

Lost and Found.

LOST—A silver coral bag, between 1378 Beacon st., Brookline, and Haynes a drug store and Chubbuck square, Allston. Finder send to 1378 Beacon st., Brookline, and receive reward. Also lost between 1 and 2:30 P. M. Jan. 15, a pocketbook containing a sum of money. Finder please notify Mrs. H. Sea. 60 Addison st., Brookline. Telephone 3121 W. Brookline.

LOST—A gold watch, between Boylston and Dartmouth, Jan. 12, 1912, in Everett, either train or station. Address of owner on inside of watch. Finder, reward; any one detaining it will be prosecuted. Edward Shaw, 1 Dartmouth st., Boston, Mass.

LOST—Long, red stone, in filigreed brooch, between Concord and Auditorium or Somerville and Auditorium, Jan. 15; reward. Return to 4 Auditorium road, E. Concord st.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
Suffolk, ss. Boston, Jan. 15, 1912. The joint committee on Labor and Industries, to which was referred petition of Frank Leahy and others relative to bowling seats for women and minors in bowling alleys, petition of Frank Leahy and others, and Senate Bill No. 20, that janitors working in factories be exempt from the 54-hour law, report the law concerning night hours a day's work in bowling alleys, and that the Senate Bill No. 20 ought not to pass. By order of the Committee. SAMUEL ROSS, Secretary.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
Suffolk, ss. Boston, Jan. 15, 1912. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 242 for legislation in relation to extended insurance and paid-up insurance, and House Bill No. 243, relative to the rules governed for computing the value of policies of life insurance, at the State House on Wednesday, January 24, 1912, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at which time and place all persons interested may appear and be heard. By order of the Committee. A. FOLEY, Clerk of the Committee.

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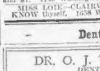

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SLIGHTLY worn tailor-made Coats from $1.50; highest grade dress suits for sale or to let; open evenings; 11 Stanhope st., Dudley station.

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HIGH GRADE tailor-made, slightly worn and sample suits and overcoats, $5 to $15; fancy pants, $1.25; coats, vests $1.25; coats, pants (to) dress suits to let and for sale; open evenings; Sundays 10 to 4.

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A HANDSOME horse, 8 yrs. old, weighs 1050 lbs., rubber-trimmed harness and rubber-tired runabout built by Meyer; this outfit is in good order and has been used by the owner for family driving; will be sold for $90 cash; can be seen at stable, 45 Northampton st., Roxbury. Take elevated train to Northampton st. station.

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2 FAMILY HOUSES, near the monument; 2 rms and $15 houses. W. A. DUNHAM, 4 Water st., room 711.

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Give Your Children the Happiness of Real Work and Knowledge

Educate Their Fingers First—Their Brains Later

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The picture on this page is taken from the cover of a magazine called MOTOR BOATING—the leading periodical devoted to the modern boats run with explosive engines at high speed.

This is a picture that fathers and mothers may well study for a moment.

You see that it is a truthful picture at once. The old man is working and explaining, helping the little boy to make his boat. And the little boy IS LEARNING WITH INTENSE EAGERNESS AND HAPPINESS.

Look at the expression on the face of this child; see the eagerness, the willingness to learn. Then contrast the expression on this child's face with the expression on the face of the ordinary child in a class under dull conditions.

Here you see knowledge absorbed willingly and, therefore, easily.

In too much of our so-called education knowledge is forced into the child, or, rather, forced AGAINST the child's mind, and never absorbed at all.

Our system of education appeals too much to the undeveloped intellect of the child, and too little to the muscles, the hands, the eyes and the child's real understanding.

A boy such as the one in this picture, watching an old man work, learning the realities of life in a shop, having an opportunity to DO something and MAKE something, is the happy child.

Fathers and mothers should see to it that their boys and their girls have in their lives something of the happiness that you see in this picture.

If you have work to do around the house, no matter how simple, show your children HOW you do it and let them help you.

If you have room, no matter how little, fix up a workshop for the little boy and girl. Let them work and see something accomplished. Give them the happiness of production, which is the greatest happiness of the human being.

If you are able to educate your child as you choose, let him have the least possible amount of mental knowledge forced upon him and the greatest possible opportunity to indulge his natural tastes in building, whittling and planning.

Education in our day is a blessing and a curse. We have our public schools, but the classes are too big, the lessons are too hard, the teachers are overworked.

It would be better for nine-tenths of the children of the world if they never learned to read at all until they were ten or twelve years old, if their childhood were spent dealing with realities, manufacturing, working, "fixing," developing themselves as intelligent little human beavers.

What a man of twenty can learn in a week a child cannot learn in a year. Yet we compel the child to struggle for a year to obtain the knowledge prematurely. When a man reaches the age when he could learn easily—HE STOPS LEARNING.

For those that understand life and education and children this picture has a lesson. And the publication of it ought to be useful to some children.

You can understand that a man does well only what he does cheerfully and gladly. You see a man prosperous in a little bit of business BECAUSE IT BELONGS TO HIM AND HE LIKES TO WORK AT IT.

And you see a man very well paid on a salary basis and unhappy in a bigger business because he doesn't own it, and he works against the grain.

There is no use forcing your children to do that which they hate. There is no use making them uphappy trying to force into their minds, slowly and painfully, knowledge which in a few years they would take in easily and gladly.

Of the great men of the world, those that have succeeded, a very great number—an overwhelming majority—have had in their lifetime the interest and the excitement that you see in the face of this boy. They have been taught pleasantly. They have taken in knowledge gladly and willingly.

If it is in your power, give your children the benefit of education of this kind. Let them become acquainted with the making of boats; teach them how to use tools, protecting them from accident; explain picture books to them; tell them truthful stories of real life.

Remember that an hour spent happily absorbing knowledge willingly is of more value to a child than weeks and months of forcing against the grain.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

KEEP THE HORSES WARM.

Editor AMERICAN:

I have noticed by daily reading of your paper that you take an interest in all worthy objects. Through your papers or in some other effective way I wish you would prevail upon horse users to blanket their horses well at this trying season of the year.

I trust you will do all in your power to have all horses provided with a warm blanket. G. EVANS.

HONOR THE BLUEJACKET.

Editor AMERICAN:

Now that one loyal sailor boy has expressed his appreciation of the article published in your paper in defence of our boys in blue, why don't some more of you people of Boston show your colors and write a good word for them also? In hardly any other port are the American sailors given so poor a welcome and shown so little respect as in Boston.

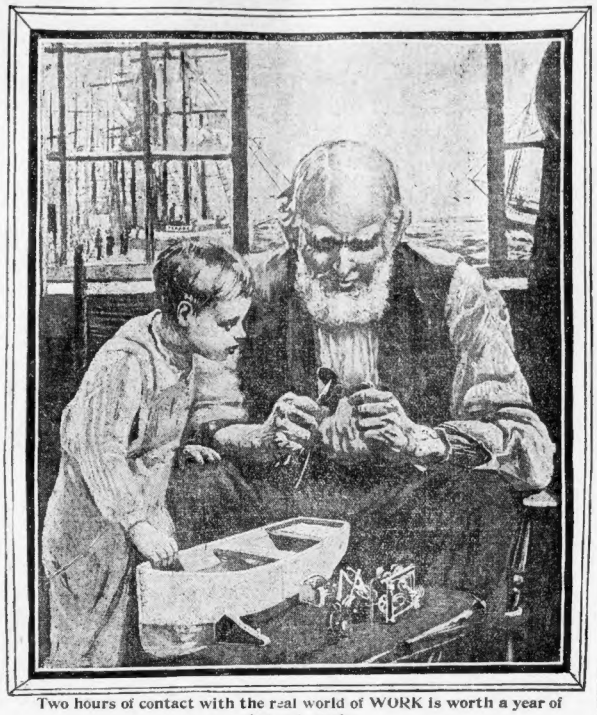
Why should all the bluejackets in the navy be judged by a few bad ones? If the people of Boston are as broad-minded as in other States, they will look and find many good traits instead of seeing only bad ones.

Allow me to thank many, many times, through this valuable column, W. H. L. of the U. S. S. New Jersey, for his kindness in saying that I have the navy behind me. I appreciate it very much.

A SAILOR'S SWEETHEART.

Boston.

Teach Boys to Use Their Hands



Two hours of contact with the real world of WORK is worth a year of abstract study

Tom Powers's funny "Joys" and "Glooms" are a regular feature of the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss the laugh-making drawings by this famous cartoonist in the Sunday AMERICAN.

Sherlocko the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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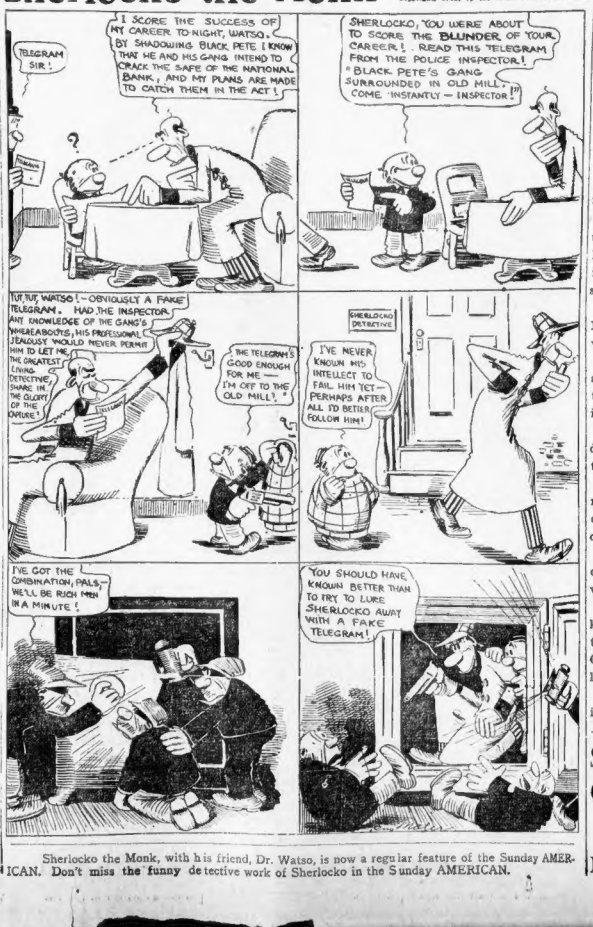
I SCORE THE SUCCESS OF MY CAREER TO-NIGHT, WATSO. BY SHADOWING BLACK PETE I KNOW THAT HE AND HIS GANG INTEND TO CRACK THE SAFE OF THE NATIONAL BANK, AND MY PLANS ARE MADE TO CATCH THEM IN THE ACT!
TELEGRAM SIR!
SHERLOCKO, YOU WERE ABOUT TO SCORE THE BLUNDER OF YOUR CAREER! READ THIS TELEGRAM FROM THE POLICE INSPECTOR! "BLACK PETE'S GANG SURROUNDED IN OLD MILL. COME INSTANTLY — INSPECTOR!"
TUT, TUT, WATSO! — OBVIOUSLY A FAKE TELEGRAM. HAD THE INSPECTOR ANY KNOWLEDGE OF THE GANG'S WHEREABOUTS, HIS PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY WOULD NEVER PERMIT HIM TO LET ME, THE GREATEST LIVING DETECTIVE, SHARE IN THE GLORY OF THE CAPTURE!
THE TELEGRAM'S GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME — I'M OFF TO THE OLD MILL!"
SHERLOCKO DETECTIVE
I'VE NEVER KNOWN HIS INTELLECT TO FAIL HIM YET — PERHAPS AFTER ALL I'D BETTER FOLLOW HIM!
I'VE GOT THE COMBINATION, PALS, WE'LL BE RICH MEN IN A MINUTE!
YOU SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER THAN TO TRY TO LURE SHERLOCKO AWAY WITH A FAKE TELEGRAM!

Sherlocko the Monk, with his friend, Dr. Watso, is now a regular feature of the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss the funny detective work of Sherlocko in the Sunday AMERICAN.

Railroad Monopoly Doomed— The American's Fight to Restore Competition Nearly Won

The formal petition filed by the Grand Trunk Railroad for a right to enter Boston is the first fruit of a long, persistent campaign by the Boston AMERICAN to re-establish railroad competition and especially to give Boston the benefit of the service of a railroad whose control and primary interest is not in New York, a rival port.

Six years ago, when the scheme of the New York interests to seize the only remaining independent railroad in New England and merge it with the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad first appeared, the AMERICAN protested with all its strength.

When the Boston & Maine finally passed into the control of the New Haven Railroad, the AMERICAN did not accept this result obtained by questionable arguments at the State House and a deal at Washington. We have continued to call public attention to the unwisdom of this railroad monopoly in this isolated New England territory.

Believing that the Holding Company, a device by which the New Haven Railroad maintains its control of the Boston & Maine, is a standing overshadowing menace to the prosperity of New England, the Boston AMERICAN has never ceased to exhibit the evils inherent in this railroad monopoly as each new phase of it appeared.

It is related that Cato, the censor, never made a speech in the Roman Senate, on whatever subject, that he did not close it with the declaration that in his judgment Carthage ought to be destroyed. With equal persistence the AMERICAN has insisted that the New York high finance, stock gambling railroad monopoly ought to be destroyed in New England.

To-day it is probably well within the truth to say that nine-tenths of our people, of all walks of life, believe that the destruction of competition in this community by the subordination of the Boston & Maine to the New Haven was a great mistake and now wish that competition restored.

Overwhelming proof of this sentiment was afforded when the AMERICAN began the agitation to bring the Grand Trunk Railroad to Boston.

The AMERICAN believed that a constructive policy to restore competition ought to accompany its assaults upon the existing monopoly. Therefore it called for a hundred thousand signers to a petition that the Grand Trunk Railroad should come to Boston.

The people of New England responded and signed that petition as few petitions were ever signed before.

The Governor of the Commonwealth and the Mayor of Boston added their voices to the general call to the Grand Trunk.

Both branches of the Legislature passed unanimous resolutions.

The AMERICAN did not have to exert itself to obtain this powerful expression of public opinion. The sentiment had become so definite, clear and emphatic that competition is good for New England and that monopoly is a blight, that the AMERICAN needed only to point the way to restore the one and destroy the other; the people rushed headlong in that direction.

The AMERICAN accepts with pleasure the praise of those who give to it the credit for the new situation which looks so favorable for the return of the old railroad competition.

But the fight is not yet completely won. Nothing ever happens until it does happen. The Grand Trunk is not yet here, and the New Haven is steadily hammering down the stock of the Boston & Maine in preparation for a consolidation of the two roads, which would scramble the egg.

But the AMERICAN believes that the end is in sight. The New Haven Railroad is now paying the penalty of its wild aggrandizing, with a staggering burden of debt.

Its monopolizing excesses have so eaten into its earnings that a responsible financial journal in New York a few weeks ago declared that its stock was not worth more than fifty-six dollars a share. It is borrowing, borrowing, borrowing to meet its dividends.

It has driven the Boston & Maine stock down to ninety-nine dollars, thus destroying millions of New England values. It is starving the Boston & Maine.

It has in a brief period discharged thousands of men on that railroad, discontinued trains and so reduced its service that track men on the road freely predict a serious situation under certain conditions of weather.

The plight of the Boston & Maine to-day bears all the ear-marks of an old-fashioned Jay Gould railroad wrecking plot, as out of keeping with the times as an old-fashioned stage coach holdup.

But the tottering financial weakness of the New Haven, the known public opinion of Massachusetts, the intolerable situation of the Boston & Maine, the absurd device called the Boston Holding Company, all spell a brief, troubled fate for this attempt at an absolute railroad monopoly.

It will take but a gentle stroke to separate the two railroads into their original parts. Bills have been filed looking in that direction.

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